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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MAKE NO OTHER ENGAGEMENTS for Friday evening next but for the social dance of Triumph lodge, Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W. Admission, including refreshments, gentlemen, 50c., ladies, 25c

LOST—On Sunday last, at the exhibition grounds, a leather pouch containing $30 and papers of value. Suitable reward upon returning same to R. H. Jameson's, 33 Fort street. sep23-1t

WANTED—A general servant accustomed to children. 144 Menzies St. sep23-2t

WANTED—We beg to solicit a share of your fire insurance business in the Scottish Union and National Insurance Co. of Edinburgh. Assets, $41,000,000; and in the British America Assurance Co. of Toronto. A. W. More & Co., agents, 70 Douglas street.

I. O. O. F. SOCIAL AND DANCE on Friday evening, 27th Sept., at Odd Fellows' Hall, Douglas street, at 8 o'clock, the occasion being the anniversary of Peerless lodge. An excellent musical programme has been arranged, after which refreshments will be served, followed by a dance. Tickets, 50c. each. Ladies free. Tickets may be had at the door. sep24-3t.

NOTICE.

Members of Far West lodge, No. 1, K. of P., are hereby notified to assemble in Castle Hall, Broad street, on Thursday, Sept. 26th, at 2 o'clock, p.m., sharp, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother J. P. Matthews. Members of all local lodges and visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend. By order EMIL PFERDNER, K. R. & S.

Sept.24-2t. (Colonist copy.)

Funeral Notice.

Members of Vancouver and Quadra lodge, No. 2, A. F. & A. M., are requested to meet at the Masonic Temple, Douglas street, on Thursday, 26th instant, at 1 p.m., sharp, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late secretary, Bro. Loftus Browne. Members of Victoria-Columbia, No. 1, United Service, No. 24, and all sojourning brethren respectfully invited to attend. By order,

C. FLETCHER, Secretary pro tem.

Sept.24 2t.

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In this sale there is the complete contents of one residence and several other consignments. It is imperative that these goods be sold before the end of the month to close accounts. The sale will take place, rain or shine, and will commence with the carpets and continue until all is sold.

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POLITICS IN ONTARIO.

Reported Attempt at Coalition of Patrons and Conservatives in Local House.

Doings in Different Points in the Dominion Very Briefly Chronicled.

Toronto, Sept. 24.—According to an evening paper, it is said that the Conservatives in the local legislature have been making overtures to the Patron leader, Haycock, looking towards coalition. The prime reason for this new attitude of Marter's followers is said to be that word has come from England that Sir Oliver Mowat has seriously thought of retiring. They see in this retirement of the veteran premier and the succession of Hardy, the possibility that he may land them on the right side of the Speaker.

The Duke of Marlborough arrived here last night and leaves to-night for Montreal.

Alexander Cartwright C. Hewitt, who came of one of the oldest and best known families in Toronto, is dead. Deceased's grandfather, William C. Hewitt, was the first surrogate in Toronto, and his father, Col. J. G. Hewitt, was one of the first president.

Yarmouth, N. S., Sept. 24.—Word has been received from Montreal of the death of Captain John Murphy, a wealthy shipowner of this place. He left here Monday to visit his son Charles, and was in his usual good health. He was 71 years old.

Montreal, Sept. 24.—Rev. Canon Fulton, Protestant chaplain of St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary, dropped dead at the railway station while about to take the train to Montreal yesterday afternoon.

Halifax, Sept. 24.—Rev. J. O. Ruggles, Diocesan secretary, died suddenly at Windsor yesterday morning. He went there to preach Sunday and was overcome during service, and only lived a few hours. He was 55 years of age and leaves a large family.

WILL BE PROSECUTED.

Admiral's Decision in the Marvin Case—Three Sealers Arrive Home.

The sealer E. B. Marvin will after all be prosecuted for her alleged offense in Behring sea. Rear Admiral Stephenson communicated with Collector Milne this afternoon directing that the 376 seal skins aboard be sold, and that the usual proceedings against the schooner be commenced in the Admiralty Court. Davie, Pooley & Luxton will act in the matter for the crown.

Three schooners, the Vera, Capt. Shields, Diana, Capt. Nelson, and Fountain, Capt. Cousins, arrived home during the night. The Vera has 1350 skins, 449 of which were taken in the sea, 15 at Copper Islands and the rest off Japan. She reports the Annie E. Paine with 1900, Aurora 600 and Borealis 1500. The Paint is a candidate for high line honors. The Diana is 25 days from the Copper Islands, and has 1164 skins. She reports the Mermaid with 1700, Umbrina 1800, Pioneer 1500, Geneva 1452, Ocean Belle 1521. The Diana saw six schooners in the straits, three of which went up the Sound. The Fortuna was late making Japan and only got 219 there and off the Copper Islands. Her cruise was uneventful.

There is going to be a big shortage in the catch. One firm has cabled its London house that it will fall 50,000 under last year's catch. Those figures relate to the entire Pacific pelagic catch and are probably correct. Capt. J. G. Cox is of the opinion that they fit the shortage.

THE THOMAS STEPHENS HERE

Had a Very Rough Time off Cape Horn Last February.

The British ship Thomas Stephens, Capt. Belding, which left Cardiff 297 days ago with coal for the navy, arrived in the Royal Roads early this morning. She left Cardiff on December 27th and had fine weather until the night of February 10th. The weather had been fine all day, and about 10 o'clock at night the ship was struck with a whirlwind squall, which was followed for two hours by a hurricane. The result was that most of the spars and sails were lost. On February 23rd there was another hurricane and the sails and spars which had been partly replaced, were again lost. The ship was then headed for the Falkland Islands, being picked up several day's later by Lord Kinnerven's yacht, the Katherina, and towed into port. Being unable to have repairs made at the Falklands, Capt. Belding took his ship to Capetown, where she was repaired. She left Capetown again on June 22nd, passed New Zealand 40 days later and had fine weather and favorable winds through the Pacific. She was off Cape Flattery three days in a dense fog.

Just after leaving Cardiff, a seaman who had become insane jumped overboard. Nobody was hurt during the hurricane off the Horn.

A wreck took place on the Rock Island tracks at 45th street this afternoon in which several people were killed, and a number injured. A wrecking crew was at once sent to the scene.

HIS NECK IS IN THE NOOSE

It Remains for the Defence to Rescue Theodore Durrant From Death.

W. J. Phillips, Late of Victoria Testifies Against the Prisoner.

San Francisco, Sept. 24.—The tenth week of the trial of Theodore Durrant commenced yesterday. The prosecution now has its case substantially before the jury and all that the district attorney will now do will be to introduce corroborative testimony. Adolph Oppenheim, the pawnbroker, who stated that Durrant had about April 11 tried to pawn a ring identified by Oppenheim as belonging to Blanche Lamont, was further cross-examined to-day. On the day Durrant is charged with trying to sell the ring, Oppenheim said two other persons had called. Both were strangers, yet he described them minutely and recounted the particulars of their visits as if they had occurred but yesterday. Oppenheim was asked regarding other specified days and answered promptly. Counsel for the defense tried to confuse Oppenheim by showing him a number of silver articles and enquiring if he had ever seen them before. In many cases the pawnbroker replied in the affirmative and described the persons who had tried to sell or pawn them.

W. J. Phillips, a cigar manufacturer, a middle aged man of good appearance and address, testified that he had seen Durrant coming out of Oppenheim's store in the early part of last April. He was attracted to the man by his peculiar appearance and the manner of his actions, and the fact that he was coming out of a pawnshop.

W. J. Phillips will be remembered as a former Victorian, who kept the old London saloon, at the corner of Johnson and Broad streets, for a number of years.

Leigh Irving, a newspaperman, said he interviewed Durrant on the evening of April 14 in the city prison. Durrant's statement was made in the presence of Judge Thompson, who was then Durrant's attorney. It was as to his whereabouts on April 3.

NEWFOUNDLAND'S GOVERNOR.

Sir Herbert Murray Appointed—Japanese Indemnity Paid.

London, Sept. 24.—A special dispatch from Shanghai received here to-day says that 30,000,000 taels, silver, have been deposited at Shanghai by the Chinese government to pay the supplementary indemnity required by Japan as a consideration of the evacuation of the Liao Tung peninsula.

Sir Herbert Murray has been appointed governor of Newfoundland.

DEATH OF CHAS. HAYWARD JR.

He Passed Away at Kamloops This Morning—Interment at Victoria.

A telegram was received at noon today from Kamloops, announcing the death there this morning of Charles, eldest son of Charles and Sarah Hayward of this city. The deceased was born in Victoria in 1864, and educated in the public and high schools. He obtained the Governor-General's gold medal and afterwards passed the Civil Service examination with honors. He was then engaged as teller in the Dominion Government savings bank here and for seven years faithfully discharged his duties, until failing health, following at attack of typhoid fever, compelled him to resign the position. After a season in Southern California he was sufficiently restored to accept service under the Provincial Government as timber inspector in the upper country, with headquarters at Kamloops, an occupation requiring a good deal of traveling and life in the open air, and from which the best results wer anticipated. He continued to do well until quite recently when after an arduous trip through East and West Kootenay he was attacked with hemorrhage of the lungs to which he succumbed to-day. His mother was with him and everything that kind friends and the best of medical care could do were unavailing. His remains will be brought to Victoria for interment, arriving to-morrow night.

Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Sept. 24.—Joseph Hooper, father of John Reginald Hooper, now in St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary, is here to-day, and has made arrangements to see Sir C. H. Tupper to-morrow morning regarding petitions before the minister of justice asking for the release of his son, or if not his release, then a new trial.

An important cabinet meeting is called for Friday. The date of the session of parliament and several matters of administrative policy are to be decided. Salary and superannuation difficulties stand in the way of several civil service changes.

Chicago, Sept. 24.—A letter to the Tribune from Havana dated Sept. 19th, says: "Armed parties of revolutionists are already in the province of Matanzas actually within 75 miles of the city of Havana. They have quantities of arms and munitions of war concealed. If the revolutionists are advancing in force, the crisis is not far off."

SPAIN'S CUBAN TROUBLE.

A Private Letter Gives a Very Different Account to the "Official" Report.

Latter Pictures the Always Victorious Spanish—The Former Says Otherwise.

New York, Sept. 24.—President Palma of the Cuban revolutionary party in this city, has received a very important leter from Cuba. It was written Sept. 14, by a friend of Pera Sego, a Spanish private who deserted to the Cuban ranks, when Campos was defeated. In a later engagement Rovira was captured by the Spanish, court martialed and sentenced to receive forty lashes and be shot. The sentence was carried out while Rovira was shouting for Cuban liberty. The Spaniards were greatly incensed against him, as he had killed three of their men before being captured. This letter says that all Santiago, where the execution took place, was disgusted with the Spaniards, and then goes on to describe a hard fought battle, in which the Spanish forces lost over 300 killed and wounded. The letter says: "A man who was sick in the hospital at Casimbra escaped and told the Spanish that Gen. Jose Maceo was sick in the Casimbra hospital and had only thirty men with him. On the 30th of August Maceo heard that 1,200 men—one battalion and a squad of cavalry with two pieces of artillery were marching on him. Maceo mounted his horse and from the mountain of Santa Maria reconnoitered the enemy's position. He ordered eight of his men to keep up firing from ambush so as to deceive the Spanish. Meanwhile he had sent word to his brother, Gen. Antonio Maceo. On August 31 the Spaniards got hold of Funois, and General Jose Maceo fortified his few men in a plantation house near the hospital. He wished to guard the right side of the road to Baccalano, which skirted the hospital. The Spanish were slowly closing in on him when General Cebreco and a Cuban column came to his relief and made the enemy evacuate their position. A hot engagement followed, in which the Spaniards regained their position, but were unable to hold it long as Gen. Antonio Maceo suddenly appeared on the scene with Cebreco and Col. Mieuninit, succeeded in wresting it from Catalia and Garrido, who commanded the Spanish. The Spanish now made a brilliant charge and for the third time they managed to secure the position, but in the engagement the captain of the Spanish artillery was mortally wounded and they slowly withdrew, the Cubans fighting them back."

This battle lasted from 5 a.m. to 1 p.m. It was resumed in the early afternoon, however, and is described as follows: "General Antonio Maceo cleverly turned the Spanish column and gained the pass of Baccalano. He then massed his troops before the Spanish vanguard, while General Jose Maceo got his men in the rear. A very desperate encounter ensued. It raged until nine o'clock at night, when it was discontinued until dawn of the next day, September 1st. The Spanish then commenced to retreat until they reached the Igubanabano field, where they were able to use their cavalry, which was impossible on the mountain of Santa Maria. They did not gain any advantage, however, and after burning their provisions, they continued to retreat to the mountains, which place they entered in scattered groups. The Cubans had no cavalry, but made effective use of dynamite which struck terror into the enemy. In the engagement the Cuban loss was forty men wounded and killed. The Spaniards lost over 300 men, forty horses, and a large store of provisions and munitions of war."

Havana, Sept. 24.—Official reports have been received here of an important engagement which is said to have resulted disastrously to the insurgents. The report says that the Spanish troops captured the hospital and medicines and a number of horses. The insurgents took to flight leaving 24 killed.

As the cruiser Barcastegui, which was sunk by the merchantman Mortera on Wednesday night constitutes a danger to vessels leaving or entering the port of Havana, it has been decided to break up the hull of the vessel with dynamite. The divers have refused to work upon the wreck on account of the danger from sharks and because of the insufficiency of their outfits. Two daughters of the late Admiral Prejo, who lost his life when the Barcetegui was sunk, are seriously ill with diphtheria. His son is down with the yellow fever.

None But Ayer's at the World's Fair.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla enjoys the extraordinary distinction of having been the only blood purifier allowed an exhibit at the World's fair, Chicago. Manufacturers of other sarsaparillas sought by every means to obtain a showing of their goods, but they were all turned away under the application of the rule forbidding the entry of patent medicines and nostrums. The decision of the World's fair authorities in favor of Ayer's Sarsaparilla was in effect as follows: "Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a patent medicine. It does not belong to the list of nostrums. It is here on its merits."

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STOCKS TAKE AN UPWARD TURN

The Rising Tendency Being Almost Uninterrupted in Yesterday's Market.

New York, Sept. 24.—The course of speculation yesterday was, with a few exceptions towards a higher range in prices, the upward tendency being almost uninterrupted. The volume of business was fairly large, but it was irregularly distributed, with industrials and Grangers enjoying the largest dealings.

The Evening Post's London financial cable says: "The stock market to-day was quiet but steady. Americans sported considerably. This was partly due to the scarcity of shares for settlement beginning on Wednesday, and partly to the favorable impression made by the dissolution of the Rothschild-Morgan syndicate. Opinions here as to the outlook in America vary widely, even in the best quarters, but the tendency is inclined to be bullish. Prices closed under the best purchase here larger than of late."

RECEPTION TO HON. MR. BLAKE.

Forced to Decline Through Ill Health. The Peary Party.

Toronto, Sept. 24.—Arrangements have been made to give a reception to Edward Blake. It was proposed to present him with an address next Monday, but he announced to-day that owing to his professional engagements, and on accounting of his suffering from insomnia, it would be impossible for him to accept the invitation.

St. Johns, Nfld., Sept. 24.—No new matter has developed to-day with reference to the Peary expedition. All of the members will go from here by the steamer Silvia on her arrival from Pilley's Island, where she is now loading ore In an interview to-day, Lieut. Peary says he will not undertake any further Arctic work. He denies that any of the bones of General Greely and his party were found at Cape Sabine, but the officers, engineer, firemen and sailors contradict his statement, and the matter is widely discussed here.

FRANCE AND GERMANY'S FEUD

Arrest of French Spies—Plot to Kill the Sultan—Cable Notes.

London, Sept. 24.—A Berlin dispatch to the Daily News says: "The recent arrest at Cologne of a couple of French spies has led to the discovery of a complete and far reaching system of espionage. Many persons, including Germans, are involved in arrests, which are impending at Cologne, Magdeburg, Brunswick and Kasing.

The Paris correspondent of the Daily News says that the town council of Avignon has agreed to spend £180,000 upon the restoration of the Pope's palace.

The St. James' Gazette this afternoon prints a dispatch from Constantinople saying that the Turkish police officials have discovered a plot among the Macedonians to destroy the Sultan and the government buildings. As a result of the discovery, the most extensive precautions have been taken at the Yildiz Kiosk to prevent and damage to the palace and possible injury to the Sultan.

Mrs. Langtry was interviewed to-day on the subject of the loss of her box of jewels from the Union Bank of London, last week, by means of a forged order. She said that she had obtained no further light on the question as to the identity of the recipient, Mrs. Langtry said that there was no suspicion against any one of her servants, but that the scheme must have been worked by somebody who was cognizant of her affairs, for never before was there so much of her jewelry at the bank. Her maid had suggested that she take it with her to Baden Baden, but she had thought it safer to leave it in the custody of the bank. Mrs. Langtry said that she thought it was curious that the people at the bank were not aware that she was on the continent, instead of in London, at the time of the robbery.

Rome, Sept. 24.—King Humbert, Queen Marguerite, and the members of the Italian ministry, reviewed the procession to-day of veterans of the war of 1870, bearing flags and decorations. The Garibaldians, in their red shirts, had the place of honor at the head of the procession. The crowds witnessed the parade and enthusiastically cheered as the Garibaldians marched past, and saluted the King and Queen, who graciously returned the salute.

Shanghai, Sept. 24.—A dispatch from Ningpo says that the whole province of Chekiank, especially at the city of Kin Wa Ha, has been placarded with anti-foreign and anti-Christian proclamations.

GERMAN JEWS IN RUSSIA

Not Wholly Excluded—Irishmen at Chicago—The Erie Canal.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 24.—The department of state received to-day through Mr. Breckinridge, a note from Prince Lobanoff, of the Russian foreign office, bearing upon the admission of foreign Jews in Russia, together with a translation of the Russian laws upon the subjects These laws are furnished in response to a request from Mr. Breckinridge, who made it because of the refusal of the Russian consul at New York to approve the passports of American citizens of Jewish descent. In his note enclosing copies of the laws in question, Prince Lobanoff refers to restrictions against the entrance of Jews to Russian territory and claims they are far from implying an absolute interdiction. The imperial government having already many millions of Jewish subjects only admits those Jews of foreign allegiance who present a guarantee that they will not be a charge or a parasitic element in the state, but will be able on the contrary to be useful in the international development of the country; it is because he had it in view to protect himself from an influx of a proletariat of this nature, that the Czar has established clearly the categories of Israelites of whom the entrance in his territories can be permitted.

Chicago, Sept. 24.—The great national convention of Irish societies opened in the Young Men's Christian Association Hall this morning with a large representation of Irishmen from all parts of the country.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 24.—It was learned to-night that the New York Central & Hudson River railway had secured practical control of all the tonnage of the Erie Canal, and will therefore hereafter be in a position to control canal freight rates.

A Hint From Nature.

When Mother Earth begins to change her emerald gown for her winter dress of brown, it is a hint to shivering mortals to prepare for the cold. This year there is a new help to secure comfort in spite of icy blasts. Fibre Chamois is an interlining that cannot be penetrated by the wildest wind that blows, and yet has a porous nature which makes it a particularly sanitary warmth producer. A layer of it put through the body and sleeves of coats and jackets will add no weight, will insure the necessary stiffness of style, and will increase the wearer's comfort more than you can guess till you try it.

For Puget Sound Points.

The fast steamer Schome, Chas. E. Clancey, Master, leaves here every morning, excepting Sundays, at 9 o'clock for Port Townsend and Seattle, arriving at Seattle at 4 p.m., connecting with N. P. R. R. train for the east. Returning she leaves Seattle at 10 p.m. daily, excepting Saturday, arriving here at 6 a.m. Tickets at Northern Pacific Railway office, Government street.

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The Hall of the above society in Musgrave Block, Broad street, is open daily from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., for the convenience of the Pioneers and their friends, who are cordially invited to visit the rooms.

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We have increased our dining room and kitchen staff, and are now prepared to give our customers prompt and efficient service.

NOTICE

Blanchard Street, between Pandora and Chatham Streets, will be closed till further order.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.
City Hall, Victoria, Aug. 26, 1895.

UNDERTAKERS.

CHAS. HAYWARD
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Government Street, Victoria.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Land Registry Act.

Lot 3 Block XVI; lot 25, block XVIII, lot 12, block XIX; lots 13 and 20, block XX; lot 17, block XXX; lots 20 and 38, block XXXI; lot 26, block XXXIV lot 1, block XXXV; lot 4, block XXXVII; lots 2 and 20, block XXXIX; the easterly 2-3 of lot 21, block XL; lot 13, block XLVIII; lot 2, block L; lot 7, block LI; part of district lot 185, in the city of Vancouver.

A certificate of indefeasible title to the above lots will be issued to James Charles Prevost, guardian of the estate of Ernest Wilfred Pratt, otherwise known as Ernest Pratt, on the 28th day of September, 1895, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming the estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

T. O TOWNLEY,
District Registrar.
Land Registry Office, Vancouver, 24th June, 1895. 3m.

Land Registry Act.

In the Matter of the Application of Peter Steele for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the following portions of Sections XXXI and XXXII., Esquimalt District, viz.:

All that piece or parcel of land forming a portion of Section XXXII., Esquimalt District, together known as Lots 20 and 21, according to a survey and plan made by R. Homfray, C. E., and more particularly described as follows: To wit: Commencing at the N. E. corner of said section, thence running westerly along the northern boundary of said section 998 links, thence south 475 links, thence easterly to the eastern boundary of said section, 991 links; thence northward along the said boundary to the point of beginning, 475 links.

Also that piece or parcel of land known as Buckley's Orchard, and forming a portion of Section XXXI, Esquimalt District, more particularly described as follows: To wit: Commencing at a point on the northern boundary of the said section 14 feet six inches distant from the N. E. corner of before mentioned Section XXXII., thence running easterly along the said boundary 400 feet, thence southerly and parallel to the eastern boundary of the first above described piece of land 325 feet, thence at right angles west 350 feet, thence north to the point of beginning, 198 feet.

Also all that piece or parcel of land forming another portion of Section XXXI., Esquimalt District, bounded as follows, viz.: On the west by the last described piece of land known as Buckley's Orchard, on the south by a line drawn from the south easterly corner of said last described piece to the Craigflower road and parallel to the northern boundary of the said Section XXXI., to the eastward by the Craigflower road, and to the northward by the northern boundary of said Section XXXI.

NOTICE is hereby given that a certificate of indefeasible title to the above lands will be issued to Peter Steele on the 30th day of September, 1895, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by a person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria, June 24, 1895.

NOTICE

The Annual General Meeting of the Stockholders of the Union Colliery Company of British Columbia, Limited Liability, will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Victoria, on Wednesday, the second day of October next, at 11 a.m.

Dated Victoria, 31st August, 1895.
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
aug31-td Secretary.

NOTICE

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company in the City of Victoria, on Wednesday, the second day of October next, at 11 a.m.

Dated Victoria, 31st August, 1895.
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
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Rev. R. W. Trotter Presents This as the Solution of the Social Problem.

The Course Pointed Out for Capital, Government and Labor to Travel In.

On Sunday the Rev. Ralph W. Trotter preached on "The Cross of Jesus and the Social Problem," from the texts: Acts 16:31, "Believe on the Lord Jesus and thou shalt be saved;" and Luke 6:46, "Why call ye me Lord, Lord, and do not the things which I say."

Belief in Christ is the only reasonable way of salvation that has been offered to man, and that man is a fool who refuses to follow the best he knows, even though he does not see the end from the beginning. Whether your conception of the person of Christ accord with mine or not; whether you think of Him as God or man; we will leave for the present out of the question. But in this we must all rejoice, He is the truest light that has ever shone in our darkness. His principles are the highest and purest, the profoundest and simplest, that have ever been spoken. That Jesus knew more of God than any other soul that ever poured its life into the world, that His words were born in the mind of God, is the deepest conviction that ever gripped the throbbing hearts of men. That the life which He lived on earth is the best life which ought and can be lived by every man destined to become the passion of humanity.

But what are we to understand by belief in Christ? The church's answer to the world's cry, "What must I do to be saved?" has always been, "Believe on the Lord Jesus and thou shalt be saved," and neither the inquirer nor the counsellor has understood the answer. Christ does not ask for our compliments, He does not ask for our assent, He does not ask for our admissions, but He asks to be believed.

No man can be greater than his faith, and there is no faith where there is no self-surrender. It matters not what our opinion about Christ may be, we do not believe in Him to any greater extent than we hand over to His authority every relation and activity of life. Faith in Jesus is not only a belief in the fact that He died but that He lived, not only that He was made a sacrifice for sin, but a belief in what he said about sin, not only that he became our substitute, but that as the Father sent Him even so hath He sent us to become the substitute of others. Believe me, that faith is a fiction which does not accept Christ's way of life, as God's chosen life for every man upon the earth.

Faith in Christ is not writing your signature at the bottom of a creed, it is a surrender of self to the law of sacrifice for others. The Gospel is not only Christ, but "Christ and Him crucified." If you would be a Christian you must deny yourself and take up your cross and follow Him. You cannot deduce Christ from a formula, nor is He found at the end of a syllogism. All truth that is not used as the divine energy of our beings is a blighting withering curse. Christ did not come to protect us from God, but He came as God, and the justice of God on the cross is identical with the love of Christ on the cross. God does not accept Christ's righteousness as an apology for our unrighteousness. The righteousness of Jesus is a failure if it cannot make us righteous. The church must give up her tradition of a salvation by proxy and must return to the vital principle of substitution. Substitution must become the practice of the church as well as its belief. It must put brotherhood in the place of orthodoxy. It must bear about in its body the dying of the Lord Jesus. It can never save more than those for whom it is willing to suffer. This is the revelation of God in Christ Jesus. Who though He was in the form of God, though it was robbery to be equal with God, but made Himself of no reputation, and took upon Him the form of a servant and was made in the likeness of men, and being formed in fashion as a man He humbled Himself and became obedient unto death, and not that only, but the most ignominious, the death of the cross, wherefore God hath highly exalted Him. This is the inscrutable law of the universe, which runs through all eternity. The law that he who gives most is the highest; that he who would be chief shall be slave. This is the law of the Christian life. The world is ready for this law and the kingdom that it brings. Reject it, and the church must die; receive it, and the world shall be filled with effulgence and glory. Use the whole power of life for other men, this is the harmony of life.

I study the life of Jesus of Nazareth and I ask what made His life one tireless passion for humanity. What made God become a man and carpenter, who was from the beginning and framed the universe? What made Him choose the poverty of the poorest, when heavenly mansions were His home? I stand in the shadow of His cross and I ask what means the tortures of His martyrdom, the blood on His temple, the blood on His cheek, the blood on His chin, the blood on His hand, the blood on His side, the blood on His knee, the blood on His foot, the blood in drops, the blood in rills, the blood in pools coagulated beneath the cross? I answer in one divinely human word, love, which is the sole constitution of heaven. Love—the law which alone has sufficient power to convert human society into a kingdom of God on earth.

The state can become Christian and organize men in social justice and industrial freedom, only when production and distribution are put under the dominion of the law of love first held up to the world on the cross of Calvary. The whole social problem is, how can Christianity be made plain to men as the natural humanity of man. Whether you will not, whether you like it or not, there is no other solution of our problems than obedience to the law of the cross, which is natural as well as spiritual law.

The cross teaches the rich man that the more he has the greater is his responsibility. It teaches the thinker that the more he knows the greater reason why he should teach the man who does not know. It teaches the man who is most refined to become the companion of the brutal. It teaches those of social standing and lovely advantages that Jesus will hold them responsible for the redemption of the outcasts. I have a right to accumulate wealth and knowledge for no other purpose than that which made Jesus poor and His life on Golgotha, namely, the greatest good to the greatest number. Sacrifice, not selfishness, says the cross of Jesus, is the law of the man, of society, of all life. "He that findeth His life shall lose it, but he that loseth his life for my sake and the Gospel's, the same shall find it." "Shall the servant be greater than the Lord?" Christ took upon Him the form of a servant, and capital is not greater than Christ. When it finds its Saviour it will become the servant instead of its taskmaster. When everything becomes the servant of everything else there will be no problems. This message of the cross is the power by which everything must prove its right to exist. I see the men of labor and the men of capital gathering for the strife. The scowl of conflict is heavy upon their brows. The hosts strengthen, the anger increases, but I see the Son of Man moving down the gathering lines, holding out His bleeding hand to clasp the hands, raised to murder, in a confederation of love, saying, "Inasmuch as ye have done it to one of the least of these my brethren ye have done it unto Me."

But what has this to do with capital and labor? What has this to do with governments? What has this to do with wages? Well, simply this, all these different and conflicting factors in society and life, must believe in Jesus if they are to be saved, and they may be saved if they will. They need not insult the Lord by calling Him "Lord, Lord" if they do not the things which he says. For neither the man nor the corporation nor the government which does not obey Him can possibly be a believer in Him. And it is an obedient belief in Jesus alone which can ever solve one problem for humanity.

1st. Then I remark, capital must repent and believe in Jesus and Him crucified or it cannot, it simply cannot, be saved. The capital of the world has come to rest entirely upon the principle of selfishness. Jesus lived and died for the principle of sacrifice, and He proclaimed it as the law of all life. He taught that men were brothers, with God as a common Father, that they should be united in common interests. He taught that the selfishness which lay under human institutions was unnatural, outrageous, a violation of humanity and a denial of God. He taught that the golden rule was the divine principle by which the kingdom of God should become a permanent fact among men. He gave the sermon on the mount as the constitution of a divine society, a new civilization, a new earth, which He called the kingdom of God. He declared that selfishness was the source of all evil and of all the woe which sin brings. O, capital, thous king of selfishness! the Son of God charges thee as the chief of sinners. In the name of Jesus I bid thee repent of thy selfishness, for every commercial privilege you enjoy was purchased by Jesus on Golgotha. Christ says ye who have made so much by selfishness, must sacrifice it for brotherhood; and His message has greater force to you because you have much more than others to sacrifice. The social salvation must begin with you. It is hard, I know, but no harder than it was for Matthew at the customs; the terms are the same; he forsook all and followed Him, so must you. "It is easier for a camel to go through a needle's eye than for a rich man to enter into the kingdom of heaven." The centuries have not bulged the needle's eye. It is just as hard to enter now as when the Son of Man first uttered these wondrous words. When the young millionaire came to Jesus asking "what good thing must I do to inherit eternal life?" the Saviour's answer was, "Keep the commandments." The young man said "which?" Jesus answered: "Thou shalt do no murder. Thou shalt not commit adultry. Thou shalt not steal. Thou shalt not bear false witness. Honor thy father and thy mother. Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." The young man said: "All these things have I kept from my youth up. What lack I yet?" Listen: "Go sell that thou hast and give to the poor and come and follow Me." The story is told in these words: "He went because he was selfish. Where did he go? away, for he had great possessions." How did he go? self-exposed. Why did he go? To his money, and somewhere in the eternal existence of God that man is to-night the victim of the hell of his own greed. The church and the pulpit have always played with this passage and tried to make it mean something else, apologizing to capital because it was in the Bible.

You all remember that in the days which intervened between Christ's resurrection and His ascension He spoke to His disciples "of things concerning the kingdom." Is it not a remarkable fact that the first thing they taught their converts was to sell their possessions and part their goods, as everyone had need and had all things common? And that the first sin for which judgment came upon the church was for a violation of this principle? Listen! But a certain man named Ananias with Sapphira, his wife, sold a possession and kept back part of the price and lied about it. Hark! I hear the tramp of the young men who bear them out dead, the victims of their own selfishness.

The simple fact is this, the men of wealth in our Christian churches can solve our social problems any day they choose, by simply becoming disciples of the Lord Jesus. As the Father hath sent Him so sends He you to become the servants of men instead of the tyrants of men. Railway manager! bank president, Standard Oil king! Christ bids you become a sacrifice in the service of men. He was under no more obligation to become a sacrifice for men than you are. If you are to be His brother and our brother you must fellowship both His sufferings and ours. This is what the cross of Jesus has to do with the "Capital" side of the social problem.

Secondly, I remark, our government must believe on the Lord Jesus Christ if it is to be saved. It cannot call Him Lord if it does not the things that He says.

That government has sinned and is sinning, every Canadian will agree; that it needs saving we shall all admit; that it may be saved many honestly doubt; that it will be saved I am as sure as that there is a God. The state must and will be served from the worship of property and financial theories of government. Her concern shall be for men and not for money. The sermons of Jesus were always social, never theological. His cross was for men not for the leather-backed theology of libraries. Governments have no right to exist for any other end than that for which Christ died, namely, to organize the life of man in unity with the life of God. It was this social principle for which Christ died. The sermon on the mount has not one theological phrase in it. It is a political document from end to end. It is the "budget speech" of the long expected King. It struck the death blow to existing institutions and caused a revolution, and Jesus, the economist and King of Kings, wrote this Christian constitution in the hearts of His fellow men with the blood of sacrificial service. The cross of Jesus is the cross of social freedom or it is nothing.

Deep down in the heart of every Jew was rooted the promise of a King who should bring deliverance and freedom for the people. When he came the multitude clamored around Him as the Scots did around Wallace and Bruce, as Englishmen did about Cromwell. He had Himself announced that "the Kingdom of God was at hand." The expected a political organizer as well as a religious teacher. Jesus was honest with the people. He gave them what they asked Him for. The sermon on the mount is the divine politics of the kingdom of God on earth. It is the most perfect piece of constitutional legislation ever given to the world. Some one has said it has its preamble, which we call the beatitudes, but they are the most revolutionary political principles ever stated. It has its laws, and they are all moral and all the more terrible because of the fact inherent in the nature of men and things. It has a conclusion unanswerable in its truth. It is the profoundest and plainest disclosure of the eternal and natural social order of the world that can be made in speech or letters. Its facts are the only ones that can re-make the world according to eternal principles. The sermon on the mount means what it says. To the shame of the pulpit let it be said that its laws of right and wrong are meant to be obeyed; they are not mythical and incomprehensible in actual life. The sermon on the mount is not an impossible goal for men. It is possible, it is coming. All economy not based on this cannot last. It is the statute book of the constitution of the new earth.

It is the business of the state as the social organ, to so control property, to so administer the production and distribution of goods, as to give to every man the fruit of his labor and protect the laborer from the tyranny of the irrepressible passion for wealth. It is the duty of the state to so reconstruct itself as to make it possible for every man to fully develop all his powers, and to see that no member of society suffers for want of work or bread. It is the business of government to develop and shield the manhood and happiness, and also the physical and moral health, of men as sons of God. These are the principles of the King Son of God; these are the mandates of the King; this is the message of Jesus to those who rule. This is what the cross of Jesus has to do with the government side of the social problem.

Thirdly, again I remark, labor, too, must believe in Jesus if it is to be saved, and it cannot claim Jesus as Lord while it does not the things that he says.

There is not one Gospel for capital and governments, and another for labor. It is not only these that have sinned, but so has labor. May God help me to bring home conviction to the selfish heart and blunted conscience of labor. Supposing Jesus was again to proclaim community of goods. Suppose our government should adopt as its platform, "the parting of goods as everyone had need." Suppose once again the doctrine of humanity became the having of "all things common." Are you willing to surrender your house and lot, for which you have worked so hard, to the common good of humanity? Or would you rather wait until we have had another loom and you have pocketed the money which is three times its value? Is self made a complete surrender, a sacrifice for humanity? Do not ask of others, oh, fellow laborer, that which you are not willing to do yourself. You, too, must believe in Jesus if you are to be saved, and you must do the things that He says if you are ever to call Him Lord. "He that loveth houses and lands more than Me is not worthy of Me."

Is there not also a touch of jealous selfishness in your cry against capital and oppression? Would you not become a capitalist to-morrow if you could? The laborer of to-day is the capitalist of to-morrow. Examine the hands of our millionaires and under that kid glove you will find the crooked nail and the stiffened joint. Oh, labor! thou ardent agitator against wrong in that thou judgest another thou condemnest thyself. "Physician heal thyself." Never mind the mote in brother capitalist's eye for thou canst not see clearly to take it out until thou hast first plucked the beam from thine own eye. The blind cannot lead the blind. Thy house is on the wrecking sands of selfishness if you do not the things that He says. The law of sacrifice is the only rock upon which labor can build. Labor must also be crucified and become an atonement for men. Labor must first become the servant of God and then the servant of humanity. Labor must learn that all righteous work is divine, that a man either works for God or for the devil whether he build a house or plant a field or preach a sermon. Work is the manifestation of life. The work of a man in making a wagon is as sacred as the work of God in making the earth. Your hands are God's hands, carrying on His creation still. With your hands He paints the variegated mosaic of the fields, green and yellow and crimson. The man who builds is one of God's builders; the man who plants is one of God's artists. Work is life in harmony. The man who can work and works not is a pauper, though he may have control of millions made in speculation, extortion or inheritance.

Labor must become the servant of humanity. A man has no more right to possess mechanical skill for other purposes than service to humanity than the capitalist has to possess money for selfish ends. Labor must take upon itself the form of a servant if it is to be the brother of Jesus Christ. Would not capital give Jesus a share in the combine if he were here? I think it would, bad as it is. Would not government give Him a seat and a voice at its legislative councils? I hope it would. Would not labor take the carpenter's son for a shop mate? I believe you would. Then, you shall have the chance. Listen! "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren ye have done it unto Me." On a black, black night in December outside a Russian fortress the sentinel paced up and down. The night sleet smote him, the night cold chilled him. A poor man going to his house, said: "I shall soon be home and warm; that poor fellow must weather the blast through the long night. I'll lend him my top coat." Sometime afterward the poor man was sick and in his delirium he saw Christ standing by his bed. He looked up and said: "Why, Christ, you have my coat on!" "Yes, do you not remember lending it to me that bitter night outside the fortress." "I didn't know it was you," said the man. "Inasmuch as ye did it unto one of the least of these my brethren ye did it unto me." Beautiful! beautiful! To believe in Jesus is to become the brother of men and Jesus.

What I have said to capital and government and labor I would, if I had time, say to the church. I would say it to nations and individuals. In the last analysis it is simply this, every man must become a son of God and a brother of Jesus. "Believe on the Lord Jesus and thou shalt be saved." "Why call ye Me Lord, Lord, and do not the thing that I say?" "I am not ashamed of the Gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God unto salvation to everyone that believeth."

I hear the cry of shipwrecked drowning men. I push out the life boat of salvation; I bid you leave the wreck and trust to the boat. That is faith in its infancy. Now I have you ashore. We go again and again to the wreck; we save a few, but there are a myriad of men in the rigging and submerged in the tumbling billows of the main. Hark! above the raging of the elements I hear the voice of the captain of our salvation: "You can save the wreck, too."

The foundations of society are hid with Christ in God. We are in the beginning of a new redemption of the earth through the application of Christianity to life. Capital, government and labor, are on their way to Damascus.

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MUNICIPAL HOUSE CLEANING

The Health Department Has Been Quietly at Work for Months Past.

Reports Showing the Amount of Practical Results Accomplished.

In the last eighteen months a remarkably large amount of sanitary work has been done in the city. It has extended over that period, but the greatest amount of work has really been done during the last six months. Sanitary Inspector Conlin, assisted by Constables Cameron and Kavanaugh, has virtually conducted a house to house inquiry, and hundreds of nuisances have been abated. The original orders for the work were given by Mayor Teague, and Dr. Duncan, medical health officer, and Sanitary Inspector Conlin has been given valuable assistance in it by City Engineer Wilmot and the street department. The employes of the latter have done an immense amount of clearing up, particularly at night. The work has been carried on in a systematic way, and wherever a connection was needed, a nuisance discovered, or filth in any form encountered the law was carried out. It has involved the expenditure of large amount of money on the part of ratepayers, but the city was never in a better sanitary condition than at present. A particular interest was taken by Mr. Conlin in putting Chinatown in good order, and the terrible pest holes that once existed there are no more. A large number of shacks that were a menace alike to health and safety were also destroyed. The following reports particularize on what has been done:

Victoria, Sept. 20, 1895.

To His Worship the Mayor:

Sir:—The following is a statement showing the number of connections that have been made with the sewer discharging at Clover Point to date:

Buildings	833
Closets	1100
Baths	200
Sinks	858
Urinals	122
Wash basins	343

Yours obediently,
E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 20,

To His Worship the Mayor and Board of Health:

Gentlemen:—According to instructions received from his worship the mayor, I beg to submit the following report for your consideration. At the time of my appointment to the position of sanitary inspector in March, 1894, I found the city in a very filthy condition. My instructions from the mayor at that time were to enforce the observance of the by-laws of the city, particularly the health by-law. The result was that a number of citizens who had openly defied the law for years by keeping their premises in such a filthy condition as to be a menace to the health of the city, were the first ones to test the by-law and be convicted. Several properties in the city had been converted into pig sties. The Johnson street ravine was an open sewer for draining that portion of the city through which it runs. All those nuisances have been abated, and if you will refer back you will find that in regard to fumigating baggage and disinfecting the persons of the Chinese and Japanese immigrants the orders of the medical health officer were carried out to the letter at a saving to the city of about 50 per cent. in comparison to the cost of handling the same under the previous management. This, I think, the medical health officer will not deny. Although the McBean contract on our sewerage system had been completed for over one year very few connections by private property owners had been made. Although notices had been made out in the city engineer's office for several months no person was authorised to serve the same and enforce compliance with the sewerage connection regulating by-law. This work the mayor also ordered me to take in hand, and I have endeavored to obey his orders regardless of friend or foe. In the year 1894 there were one thousand nuisances abated, such as overcrowding, filthy premises and breach of the sewerage by-law. During the present year the police commissioners have rendered valuable aid by kindly placing at the disposal of the health department to assist in cleaning the city and enforcing observance of the health by-law, Officers Cameron and Kavanaugh, two efficient men, who have done their work ably and well. At the suggestion of the medical health officer 1500 cess pits have been condemned as nuisances; printed notices served to have the same cleaned out and filled up with clean dry earth or gravel and dry earth closets substituted, made tight so that the contents thereof cannot escape therefrom, and as remote from a dwelling house as possible. There is not one house in the city that has not been inspected, and if anything was wrong notice was served to have it put in sanitary condition, and on second inspection we found that with a few exceptions our orders were obeyed and those who refused were prosecuted in the police court. There are a few cess pits in the city that were not condemned, for the reason that the owners had provided brick or cement lining and used plenty of lime and other disinfectants. Also in other parts of the city there are no drains in the streets, and it is much better to have waste water and other filth run into cess pits, where it can be disinfected, than become a dangerous nuisance by running over the street. Take for instance the Jubilee Hospital, under the able management of Dr. Richardson, who claims that on account of the disinfectants used in the cess pit there is no danger of any disease from the overflow. Under instructions from the city engineer and the sewerage committee I have paid particular attention to the business portions of our city, and I am glad to be able to say that with a very few exceptions it is thoroughly sewered and nothing can be done with those few until the by-law is amended.

For further information I submit books of record.

I have the honor to remain, your obedient servant, M. J. CONLIN.

Now that the work of cleaning the city has been about completed, the sanitary inspector has not relinquished his vigilance in the slightest, and every day a couple of cases are looked up by him. The mayor is particularly well pleased, and spoke this morning in highest praise of the health department.

—With little care and no trouble, the beard and mustache can be kept a uniform brown or black color by using Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers.

MUNICIPAL.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of consumers of water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Sections 12, 20, and 23 of The Water Works Regulation By-Law, 1894, which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of water of the said water works shall use such water for irrigating except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

In the North Ward on Mondays and Thursdays.
In the Central Ward on Tuesdays and Fridays.
In the South Ward on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore mentioned the water will be turned off, and there shall be charged in addition to ordinary rates the sum of fifty cents for each infraction.

The above penalties will be strictly enforced.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.

Water Commissioner's Office,
11th May, 1895. m17

$10 REWARD.

The above mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the conviction of any person or persons breaking the glass of the window of any unoccupied house or other, in the City of Victoria, or damaging in any way any portion thereof, or of the premises appertaining thereto, or removing therefrom any article belonging to the said premises, or defacing injuring or destroying any street sign or other property belonging to the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

Victoria, B.C., March 20th, 1895.

Notice in Respect to Thistles.

The attention of persons interested is hereby drawn to sections 3 and 5 of the Consolidated Thistle By-Law, which read as follows, viz.:

"3. Every owner, lessee, tenant, occupier, or agent for the owner or lessee, of any land, shall cut or cause to be cut down, all thistles growing upon such land before such thistles have gone to seed or come to flower."

"4. Every person convicted of an infraction of the by-law shall forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars."

The said persons are also respectfully informed that this is the only notification they will receive in regard to this matter.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Victoria, B. C., June 25th, 1895.

Vancouver Island Building Society

The 82nd drawing for an appropriation in the above society will be held in Sir William Wallace Society's Hall, Broad street, on Saturday, the 28th of September, 1895, at 8 p.m. See that your shares are not in arrears. By order,

B. WILLIAMS,
Secretary.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 23, 1895. 1d

SPECIAL.

To the Public.—Read the advertisements in the Times, and patronize the advertisers. The men who advertise in the Times are enterprising, wide-awake, willing-to-please-customers kind of business men, and it will pay you to deal with them. And don't forget to tell them that you read their advertisements in the Times.

To Advertisers.—The Times would rather change the reading matter of advertisements frequently, because there is no room in these columns for "dead" matter. The public, too, read new advertisements, while the out-of-date article is only examined to ascertain its age. But—and this is imperative—the copy for "change" must be received at the Times office before 11 o'clock a.m. of the day it is to appear. No "change" will be guaranteed the same day unless this rule is observed.

SEPTEMBER.

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JOSHUA DAVIES
AUCTIONEER,
Room 7, - Board of Trade Building.

The Daily Times.

A LARKE IN AUSTRALIA.

If trade with Australia has not come up to the expectations which Canadian McKinleyites professed to entertain at the time when the new steamship line was started, the failure has not been due to the want of government "fostering." At the commencement no less a personage than the persent premier, then minister of trade and commerce, made a tour of the Australian colonies to seek out the trade openings. Since then the famous John S. Larke, of Oshawa, has been employed by the government to continue the investigation, with what results some recent reports from him show. Mr. Larke, like Mr. Bowell, seems to have conceived the object of his mission to be the finding out of what Canadian manufacturers could sell in Australia, the Australians being of course expected to send us their good gold in payment. National policy men naturally close their minds to the idea that we might be able to buy from the Australians; selling freely and purchasing nothing abroad is their ideal trade situation. Mr. Larke's investigations along his favorite line do not seem to have resulted very favorably. He has found that in 1894 Canadian boots and shoes to the value of $150 were sold in Australia, and he has this very profound reflection to offer for the encouragement of the manufacturer of boots and shoes:—"The Canadian manufacturer who knows the styles sold in London, west end for the better classes, and east end for the cheaper goods, and the prices of English manufacturers, will know the styles and prices for Australia, with the modifications as to the better class made in the United States." Mr. Larke has also made a discovery that must have been rather disconcerting to a thoroughpaced protectionist, namely, that the recent tariff reform movement in New South Wales is likely to benefit the boot and shoe industry of that colony. Another suggestion pregnant with wisdom results from his investigation. He finds that if an expert Canadian canoeist were to be sent over, to arrive in November, he would accomplish some wonders. "He could make a trip down one of the rivers, which could be written up in a newspaper and would attract attention, and compete in January and February in the races here. It is not likely that the profit of his sales would pay the expenses of his trip, but he would take some orders for canoes, paddles and fittings." Mr. Larke does find one commodity which Canadians should buy in Australia, namely, wine, and it is to be supposed that the Canadian wine-makers will note this recommendation with interest, if not with pleasure. A sort of summing up of his enquiries is given in the declaration that he knows of no "line of goods that a traveler can sell enough of to pay his expenses on an ordinary commission." One other result acomplished by Mr. Larke was to ascertain definitely the bad character of an Australian named Oppenheimer, who had received Canadian goods in Sydney and had not thought it worth while to pay for them. The whole outcome of this latest effort to find markets abroad is much like that of former efforts. Minister Foster made an expensive and useless tour of the West Indies with this end in view. Mr. Larke went over other ground in the same region. Then came two useless visits to Australia, and for all of these the country is taxed without getting any return worth mentioning. The people may well ask why they are put to all this expense when the national policy is especially designed to kill off foreign trade. It was intended to prevent Canadians from buying abroad. In any event it was to create a "home market" big enough to absorb all home products. The peddling tours of Messrs. Bowell, Foster and Larke are a confession of failure in this regard.

ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY.

General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company Held Last Evening.

Prospect of the Bondholders Taking Over and Operating the Road.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Victoria Electric Railway & Lighting Company, Limited, was held last night on terms of notice, the purpose being to receive the directors' report and financial statements. Mr. Hedley Chapman, the president, occupied the chair. He read a private report of his management during the term of his office, and on motion by Mr. Cleariue, seconded by Major Dupont, a vote of thanks was tendered him for his conduct of the affairs of the company.

Mr. McKilligan, as secretary of the board of directors, read the report of the directors, which gave a historical statement of the affairs of the company up to the date of the appointment of receivers, and also read several financial statements of the same date, showing the position of the company afterwards as receiver. He gave a brief and general statement of the company's position at 31st of August last, the date on which a balance sheet was taken off. The report showed that the railway department was falling behind to a considerable amount annually, and that the lighting department was doing very well, but the nett revenue from both was not enough to meet the heavy payments of interest on borrowed capital, and that there were outstanding liabilities of a large amount, and no funds to meet the same. Efforts were made to get a further allowance of money to meet those liabilities from the bondholders, but as there was no additional security to offer, and as the road was now not paying interest on the present capital, they could not be induced to lend more money. The assets were subject to a considerable depreciation, too, which seemed to point to the conclusion that any attempt to put more capital into the company was useless. After fully considering the statements submitted no one present was able to suggest a remedy and the meeting adjourned.

The prospects are that the bondholders will probably take hold of the road, under the trust deed, and so far as the city and the public are concerned, the chances are that the road will be put in good shape ere long, and in any case the road will be kept running.

Mr. Chapman's report went to show that a reduction had been made in the operating expenses and that some improvements had been made. A feed wire had been run to Oak Bay, with the result that there are 420 volts more power at Oak Bay than previously. The rails had been rebound and wire replaced where necessary. The ground wires at Oak Bay had been repaired, giving a complete return circuit and saving at least 12 to 15 tons of coal monthly. The ten minute service inaugurated on the Fort street line and the twenty minute service to Esquimalt had been a financial success to the company and a great accommodation to the public. The new feed wire to Oak Bay had enabled the company to establish the quick service on Fort street and handle the heavy summer traffic to the bay. The rolling stock is in good condition and the reserve cars ready to run at a moment's notice. On March 18 he had a test made of burning wood for fuel for sixteen hours and burning coal for fuel for sixteen hours. The result was that in 16 hours there were consumed 12 cords of wood at $2.25 per cord, $27; and in 16 hours there were consumed 6 tons of coal at $2.70, $16.20, a saving of $10.80 in favor of coal, which is now being used exclusively, with the exception of a small amount of sawdust. Formerly the company paid 50 cents a thousand for transfer tickets. Now the company is being paid 2 1-2 cents a thousand for issuing them, the advertiser paying for the printing. Time tables and cards containing information regarding the city have been distributed along the coast. The company receive 25 cents a thousand for distributing these. He also contracted for the letting of advertising spaces on the outside and inside of cars, for a term of three years at the following rates: $500 each for the first year; $600 each for the second year, and $700 each for the third year, payable in advance. This will increase the receipts $1000 the first year, $1200 the second year and $1400 the third year. Last year a switch was put in opposite Mr. Dunsmuir's residence, by contract, at a cost of $322.53. This year one had been put in by day labor at a cost of $200.46. The cost of permanent improvements from April 8th to May 15th was $1597.70. He submitted a statement of road earnings on Fort street for the fourteen days ending May 14th, 1894 (twenty minute service), and the 14 days ending May 14th, 1895 (ten minute service, from noon until 8 p.m.). With the twenty minute service the earnings were $743.65, and with the ten minute service $912.35,—a gain of $168.70. Cost of extra labor in operating, wear and tear and extra fuel, $159.96, or a net balance of $8.74 in favor of the company for the first 14 days' service. A recapitulation of the saving affected during Mr. Chapman's term of office over that of last year follows. The monthly saving, according to the statement, is $1023, and includes trackmen, working expenses, $42; repair shop, $220; towage of coal, $15; hauling coal, $48; printing transfers and issuing, $23; tenders for all local purchases, $50; draying, $10; saving in coal by bounding rails, etc., $40; distributing time table, $15; advertising spaces on cars, $83; difference using coal instead of wood, $75; armature repair shop expenses, $30; engine room expenses, $42; office expenses, $40; superintendent's salary, $90; president's salary, $200.

Mr. Chapman referred to the trouble he had with Hon. Mr. Higgins last spring. In March a cable was sent Messrs. Sperling & Co., asking them to forward $6500 to acquire the lighting plant. They answereed by forwarding £1500. Mr. Higgins proposed that he (Mr. Chapman) should propose to the board of directors that the balance over and above the amount required to purchase the lighting plant be paid to him towards the reduction of his account with the company. It was impossible to accede to the request, as the terms on which Messrs. Sperling & Co. placed the money in the hands of the directors were that it was to go towards the extension of the lighting plant and the payment of debts. Eventually the directors decided to pay off $2000 on a note held by Mr. Higgins. Then followed the trouble which culminated in a fistic encounter.

—D. M. Gordon, of 36 1-2 Douglas street, found a lady's purse. The owner can have it by calling at the above address.

BRIEF LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—The best assortment of pocket cutlery at Shore's Hardware, 57 Johnson. *

—How to cure a cough. Use Adams' Horehound Tutti Frutti. Take no imitations.

—The steamers Yosemite and R. P. Rithet arrived from the Fraser river this afternoon.

—It is expected that the body of Loftus Browne will arrive here from Kamloops to-morrow evening on the Charmer.

—The steamer Sehome did not arrive until very late to-day. She went to Port Angeles to load 1500 cases of salmon for shipment east. She brought eight carloads of sheep for Victoria.

—The Companions of the Forest have made arrangements to have the lower social hall at to-morrow evening's entertainment at the A. O. U. W., for the benefit of a distressed member.

—J. Boscowitz & Sons have made an offer of $10.25 per skin to the sealers, and are willing to buy an unlimited number. One prominent sealer said this morning that it was probable some sales would be made.

—Victoria West Lodge, No. 29, I. O. G. T., will hold an open meeting in Semple's Hall to-morrow evening, when Rev. J. Bushnell will give an address in the interest of the order. There will also be a short programme of vocal and instrumental music.

—The ladies of Triumph Lodge, Degre of Honor, A. O. U. W., anticipate a large attendance at their Friday night social dance, and are making everything in readiness for the convenience of their friends. The dance will be in the ground floor hall.

—Samuel Ricketts, many years of Prospect Lake road, is missing. He was last seen on the evening of the 11th instant. It is feared that he has either committed suicide or wandered off and died in the woods. He was about 65 years of age and a cripple. Although well to do he had the appearance of being poor. It is also reported that William A. Rountree, who accidentally shot Thomas Williams some weeks ago, is also missing.

—The Norwegian steamer Transit, chartered by the Central American Company sailed from Seattle yesterday with the largest cargo ever taken from the Northwest to Central American ports. Besides her cargo she had on board several passengers. The representatives of the line are greatly pleased with the prospects of a big trade, and considering a proposition for putting on another steamer. Over fifty applications for passage had to be refused on this occasion through lack of accommodation. Mr. Davidge, the agent here is looking after the Victoria trade.

—John P. Matthews died this morning at 3 o'clock at his home on Simcoe street, after a very brief illness with bronchitis and asthma. The deceased was a resident of Victoria for many years and had a large circle of acquaintances. He was employed for a long time with D. H. Ross & Co., and later engaged in the grocery business for himself. Recently he was engaged in different lines of work. The deceased was 34 years of age, and a widow and several children survive him. He was a member of Far West Lodge, K. of P., and the interment wil be made under the direction of that organization.

AN IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

The Sehl-Hastie-Erskine Company's Big Bid for Trade.

Probably no more important announcement has been made to the citizens of Victoria in many years than that of the Sehl-Hastie-Erskine Company which appears in our advertising columns today. This well known firm have inaugurated what they aptly term an "auction sale without an auctioneer," or in other words, a mammoth clearing sale of their entire stock.

In anticipation of the rush sure to ensue upon their announcement being read by the thousands of Times readers the firm have made special arrangements to handle a largely increased volume of business, and to accord a proper reception to the throngs of visitors sure to crowd their establishment during the period of the sale. Their staff of attendants has been increased and the magnificent and mammoth stock arranged in the most attractive manner.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

The Notorious Holmes Arraigned To-Day in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Sept. 24.—H. H. Holmes was arraigned for the murder of J. B. Peitzel here to-day; and upon the advice of counsel pleaded not guilty. Judge Finletter has fixed October 8 for the trial.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—Dr. Martill, P. A. Lavelle, W. H. Parry, E. W. Purdy, H. A. Lewis, H. Rauerard and wife, Captain Lloyd, A. E. Dunham, T. R. Christian, George Anderson, J. O'Brien, N. G. Gorrie, P. Nelson.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—N. W. Fixture Co., R. Baker & Sons, B. & K. milling Co., Hudson's Bay Co., J. H. Todd & Son, Vale & Brooks, J. A. Ritchie, M. W. Ward, Perry & Turner, Wilson Bros., Schallcross & Macaulay.

—Carpets! Carpets! of every description at Weller Bros; if you have any old ones we can clean them for you by our beating machine.

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Jewellery,

etc., ever shown in British Columbia, and if you need any article in our line now is your opportunity to get it, as we are sacrificing our entire Stock.

For the benefit of those who cannot come during the day, we will remain open until 10 o'clock each Evening.

Davidson Bros., The Jewellers

59 Government Street.

Bracelets, Necklaces, Chains, etc.

ARE YOU INTERESTED?

In what you will wear this Fall and Winter? Of course you are! Then don't expect me to describe every Piece and Pattern of my New Stock of Suitings, Overcoatings, etc., here. Come and see them. The Prices will surely please you.

CREIGHTON, Fashionable Tailor,
86 GOVERNMENT STREET.

A Bargain

In all kinds of TINWARE, LAMP GOODS, BIRD CAGES, TUBS, BROOMS, BRUSHES, STOVE PIPING, Etc., are only to be had until the last of this month. So come now and secure goods at three-fourths of their real value.

R. KENNY & CO.,
74 Yates St., near corner of Yates and Broad Streets.

RE-OPENED.

The Dining Rooms in connection with the
ALBION HOTEL,
ON HERALD ST.,
have been re-opened,
J. H. BROWN, Proprietor.
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Cough Mixtures.

We have a full line but would especially recommend Bronchial Balsam in 50c. and 25c. sizes.

Bowes' Drug Store,

100 Government St., near corner of Yates St.

LOCAL NEWS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—A meeting of the Victoria Wheelmen's Club is to be held this evening.

—Prof. Robertson, the dairy commissioner, will visit Comox and deliver a lecture there.

—This evening the Y. W. C. U. hold a housewarming in their new rooms over Shotbolt's drug store.

—R. Bray has purchased from Col. Snell, of Tacoma, the well known gentleman's driving horse Harvey Glenn.

—Word has been received from Robert Cassidy, one of the Board of Trade delegation to West Kootenay. Mr. Cassidy left the party at New Denver in search of a mining "proposition." From a telegram received yesterday it appears he is now searching for his valise.

—One of the city's electric light poles at Store and Herald streets was afire last night as the result of exposure to an uninsulated live wire. The wire was finally moved and the fire put out by a lineman. It was at first proposed to bring out the fire department.

—At last night's meeting of the Scandinavian Society Vaeballa at the rooms of the organization in the Brunswick block, six new members were proposed and accepted. A social dance to take place next week was arranged for. It will be the first of a series of entertainments to be given during the winter.

—The dock at the city police court held two Jack's this morning, but they lost money. One was a Songhees Indian, the other a Beecher bay brave, and they were both caught with intoxicants in their possession. They were each fined $25 or a month in jail. It is quite likely that both will go to jail. Ah Loy, who supplied them, was up on two counts. He was convicted on one and the other was withdrawn. The fine was made $50 or two months in jail.

—The case against John Stewart, charged by his wife, with stealing a lot of household goods which she swore were hers was dismissed by Magistrate Macrea this morning, after the evidence had all been heard. The court held that Stewart had at least a color of right to do what he did, and that under the law no crime had been committed. After the evidence had been heard by the police, they were rather of the opinion that Stewart was an injured man in some respects, and that not all the blame for trouble in the family rests on his shoulders.

—The congregation of St. James' church last evening celebrated the ingathering of the harvest. The church had been very prettily decorated with autumn flowers and produce of the field. There was a large congregation. Rev. Canon Paddon read the lessons, Ven. Archdeacon Scriven the prayers and the Bishop preached, his text being "There remaineth yet very much of the land to be possessed." Mr. E. H. Russell presided at the organ in the absence of the orgainst, Mr. Haines, and the choir rendered the following choral service: Festal responses; hymn 382; Psalm lxv. and cl.; J. C. Mark's Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis; anthem, "To Thee O Lord Our Hearts We Raise," (C. L. Williams); hymn 383 and 386; and Stainer's Amen.

—Wang Si Quang, the Chinaman deported from Tacoma, but taken from the Northern Pacific steamship Tacoma on a warrant charging him with theft, was in police court this morning after a week's adjournment of the case. Lim Yem, the man who swore to the information, again failed to appear. Magistrate Macrea refused to dismiss the case and ordered a remand for a week. He also directed that a warrant for the arrest of Lim Yem be issued. He announced that the court could not be trifled with, and particularly not in a case affecting the relations with a friendly nation. Another feature has been added to the case by the action of Dodwell Carlill & Co. They contracted with the United States government to deliver deported celestials safely in China, and there is a penalty for failure. Agent Macrea has conferred with the Magistrate and will very likely be legally represented at the next hearing.

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40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

RECEPTION TO WALLACE.

Local Orange Lodges Present an Address of Welcome to Their Chief.

Hon. Mr. Wallace Replies Referring to His Stand on the School Question.

Last evening members of the three Orange Lodges of the city, with their lady friends, assembled in the A. O. U. W. hall to give a reception to the Supreme Grand Master of the Orange Order for British North America, the Hon. N. C. Wallace, Comptroller of Customs. Although the notice for a rally was short, the meeting was large and in every way creditable to the association. At 8 o'clock Deputy Grand Master Sheritt was elected to the chair. After a few remarks he called on Dr. Campbell to read the following address:

To the Hon. N. Clarke Wallace, Controller of Customs, Supreme Grand Master of the Orange Association for British North America, Chairman of the Triennial Council, etc., etc.:

Sir:—We have convened this evening to extend to you a hearty welcome to this flourishing province of the great Dominion of Canada, and particularly to the royal city of Victoria. We regret that circumstances are such as not to allow you to make a longer stay here, so as to afford us time to give you a more fitting expression of our loyalty to the order, and appreciation of your fidelity to the best interests of our country on the floor of the Federal Parliament, and also to the society which has done so much for the elevation of character, the amelioration of suffering, and the unification of all men who have the welfare of their fellow citizens at heart, without regard to color, creed or nationality. You may, however, rest assured that few, indeed, are the men from whom a visit would be more welcome, and to whom the Orangemen of the capital of British Columbia would, in preference to yourself, extend the welcome which the patriots of Bangor on the iron-bound coast of Ulster extended, 200 years ago, to the hero of civil and religious liberty—"Cbaid mille failtha,"—a hundred thousand welcomes. You have always, in sunshine and in storm, stood faithful to the principles of the noble order of which you have the honor to be the Supreme Grand Master, which are based on the word of God, and of which the platform is calculated to be sufficiently wide for all Christians to unite their prayers and their labors without any compromise of their individual convictions or ecclesiastical tenets, whether they be Protestants or Catholics, churchmen or dissenters.

When on the floor of parliament you were severely criticised for open and fearless utterances outside the house, we were proud of the able and manly defense you made, a defense which from its patriotic independence raised you high in the estimation of all loyal Canadians, a defense which confuted and confounded your critics, because you nailed your colors to the mast, always hewing up to the line, letting the chips fall where they might.

We congratulate you on the decided stand you have taken on the live question now before the government of Canada, the Manitoba separate schools. There the battle is one of light against darkness, of governmental liberty against ecclesiastical tyranny. The principle involved reaches far beyond the present issue, and tends to destroy the autonomy of the provinces, and to establish a precedent for the right of the Dominion government to coerce the provincial government. Your platform, "equal rights to all, and special privileges to none," we heartily endorse, and believe that in the future as in the past you will be true to the best welfare of Canada by asking nothing more and taking nothing less. When this principle is adopted, and faithfully carried out from the Atlantic to the Pacific, from Halifax to Victoria, Canada shall rise from comparative obscurity to stand proudly among the nations of the earth.

We hope that ere long you will again visit our romantic province of giant mountains and of fertile valleys, and then be able to make a more prolonged stay in the picturesque city of Victoria.

Signed the 23rd Sept., 1895, on behalf of the Orangemen of Victoria by J. Sheret, D. G. M., the masters of the lodges and others.

Hon. Mr. Wallace on rising to reply was received with rousing applause. He expressed the pleasure he had of being in Victoria, and meeting with the Orangemen of the city. He pointed out the marvellous progress which the Orange Association had made in Canada during the last decade. The time was, and that not long ago, when it would be a reproach to the Orangemen; but that time is past, and now it is esteemed an honor, and a criterion of respectability to be a member of the order. There never in Canada was greater need for the Orange order than at present. Orangemen were always, true, faithful and loyal, and would so continue to the end of time. The order in all its history could not at any point or in any crisis be impeached with disloyalty. He referred to the attempt made in Ottawa to drive him out of parliament for his utterances at a banquet given in Kingston to a leading Orangeman, but his opponents failed because he was supported by loyal men and true. He briefly but eloquently referred to the Manitoba separate school question. They all knew his views in that behalf, for he expressed them on the floor of the house of commons, and so far he saw no reason for shifting his ground, or changing his position, and he certainly had no intention of doing so; and when parliament should meet he would be found standing where he was when parliament was prorogued.

Mr. T. Earle, M. P., was the next speaker. He expressed the pleasure he had of being present to extend a welcome and congratulations to Mr. Wallace. He paid him a high compliment as a parliamentarian, and spoke of his able and impartial administration of the difficult office whose troublesome affairs he administered. Short speeches were made by others, after which a hearty vote of thanks was tendered the Comptroller of Customs for his able, lucid and instructive address, and the assembly adjourned to the dining hall, where they were entertained by the ladies. After refreshments a number of the officers and rank and file accompanied the distinguished visitor to the steamer by which he left for the east.

—Rev. Canon Beanlands read an interesting paper at last evening's meeting of the Natural History Society, on the absence of a blue-eyed and fair-haired type of beauty in the native races of America.

$1.00 PHOTOS $1.00

PER DOZEN.

See Samples at . . .

JONES'

50 1-2 Government Street.

—The steamer City of Puebla is due this evening from San Francisco.

—The Juvenile Opera Company are rehearsing the opera Olivette. They meet every Thursday afternoon in A. O. U. W. hall.

—The excursion which was to have been run to Whatcom on Thursday has been called off, there being no prospects of anyone going.

—A social dance will take place at the Four Mile House on Thursday evening, the 26th inst. Bus leaves the corner of Yates and Douglas streets at 8 o'clock sharp. Good music and refreshments.

—Mr. George Byrnes will sell by public auction at his salesrooms, Yates street, to-morrow, at 11 a.m., a quantity of goods which should meet with a ready sale. Two splendid Queen Charlotte Island totem poles, Goodyear rubber belting, and Australian brandy are among the articles to be sold.

—J. H. Falconer has received a letter signed by Lieut.-Governor McIntosh of the Northwest Territories, stating that Mr. Falconer had received the highest award at the Regina exhibition for preserved fruits. There were seven entries, representing the largest establishments in eastern Canada.

—Owing to the inclemency of the weather last evening Sequah postponed his lecture on Australia until this evening at 8 o'clock. Bantley's orchestra has been engaged for the occasion and a small admission fee of 10 cents will be charged. During the evening Wallace Bridle will recite the "Relief of Lucknow." On Wednesday evening Sequah lectures on Java.

—Mr. Tony Selvine a popular engineer of the E. & N. railway, was on Monday last united in marriage to Miss Emma Dainon, of Wellington. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Nicolaye at the R. C. Cathedral, and Mr. J. Cathcart supported the groom. The happy couple at once left for Portland on their honeymoon trip.

—Commander E. J. Flett, at present serving on H. M. S. Centurion, flagship on the China station, has been selected for the command of H. M. S. Icarus, which ship is to relieve H. M. S. Nymphe on this station. The Icarus was commissioned at Chatham on the 16th of this month. Paymaster Ernest E. Silk has been appointed to the Icarus.

—It is expected that H. M. S. Royal Arthur will leave on a cruise to Vancouver and Comox on October 5th and will be away until the 18th. It is also expected that H. M. S. Wild Swan will leave about the same time for New Westminster to be present during the exhibition. H. M. S. Nymphe will go into the dock to-morrow for a few days and will most likely also go up to Westminster.

—The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. is to be held on Oct. 2nd, instead of Sept. 26th, as previously arranged. An interesting programme is promised.

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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The Mayor Refuses to Put Ald. Bragg's Motion Respecting Ald. Macmillan.

Lot of Other General Business Transacted at Last Evening's Meeting.

At last night's meeting of the board of aldermen there were present: Mayor Teague, in the chair, and Ald. Hall, Cameron, Macmillan, Williams, Bragg, Partridge, Humphreys and Wilson.

Before the minutes had been adopted Ald. Bragg moved to reconsider the resolution of Ald. Macmillan providing that tenders must be called for the purchase of any supplies up to the amount of $50, and that the tenders be opened before the council.

The mayor explained that the minutes could not be changed if they were a true record and that the only way to reconsider the matter was to bring it up by resolution.

Drake, Jackson & Helmcken wrote stating that they could not accept the offer of the city barristers for the settlement of the Bridges claim. The expenses so far incurred by Bridges on account of the accident totalled $488. He had besides been incapacitated from any but light work for the rest of his life.

The letter was referred to the street committee and city barristers.

The same firm wrote stating that the judge had in the assessment appeals, ordered the city to pay the appellants' costs. Ordered paid.

L. H. Bolly again complained of an alleged nuisance at the Canada Paint Works, which he said was worse than ever.

Ald. Macmillan said as far as he could learn the company had made very laudable efforts to abate the nuisance. They had let a contract to an iron worker who guaranteed to remove the cause of complaint. A good deal was said about encouraging home industry and it was not well to persecute them. They did not have to make varnish here. It was no doubt unpleasant to have paint works next door.

Ald. Cameron thought the simplest way to deal with the matter is to order the company to abate the nuisance, and let them find out how to do it. He moved that the company be ordered to do so, and the motion was adopted.

M. Morrissey wrote complaining of Cedar Hill road being blocked by cattle. Referred to the pound committee.

Wm. Armstrong drew attention to the need of a sidewalk on the east side of Stanley avenue. Referred to the street committee.

The water commissioner recommended that the contractors be allowed to dump the earth they are excavating at Beaver lake, into the old filter beds, which are now useless. Referred to the water committee.

The city engineer recommended that the water course on Lansdowne road be planked over. Estimated cost $300. He also recommended that box drains be put in on the road. Estimated cost, $190. Referred to the street committee.

A petition was received regarding the blocking of Cedar Hill road by cattle, and asking that lumber be supplied for a sidewalk. Referred to the street committee.

The finance committee recommended that $823.17 be paid out of the general revenue. The same committee reported that the honorary treasurer of the B. C. Agricultural and Industrial Association be requested to furnish the council with a statement of the receipts and expenditures at the fair, and that the corporation will pay the deficit if it does not exceed $8000. Adopted.

The fire wardens recommended that an exercise wagon be purchased. Adopted.

The printing committee recommended that the contract for printing the voters' lists be awarded to the Colonist at $1.75 a page; that the cost of printing the school trustees' voters' lists should be paid out of the school funds, and considered that at the next session of the legislature the municipal act should be amended so as to make the qualifications of voters for school trustees be the same as those for mayor. Adopted.

The street committee recommended that a foot sidewalk be laid on Belleville street, between McClure street and Birdcage Walk, that the fences on the Douglas estate property be placed on the new street lines.

Ald. Humphreys explained that it would be necessary to fill in 100 feet, 6 feet deep. If possible, the easiest way to do this work, would be to have the Government scows filled by the dredger, brought into the bay, and the mud carted on to the flats.

The report of the committee was adopted.

Ald. Bragg rose to bring up the following motion which he had placed upon the bulletin board on Saturday: "That whereas Ald. Macmillan has made certain statements through the public press reflecting on the action of the electric light committee, which statements are not true, and reflects on the whole council: Be it therefore resolved that this council request Ald. Macmillan to retract the same."

Mayor Teague advised the alderman not to put the motion. He thought that if Ald. Brag considered the matter he would come to the conclusion that it could do no good.

Ald. Bragg—I have just come to the opposite conclusion.

Ald. Macmillan said it might be as well for Ald. Bragg to explain what terrible thing would be done to him if the motion was passed and he declined to apologize. If it was passed he would take some action. He asked Ald. Bragg to explain what Ald. Macmillan said that was not true.

Ald. Bragg—The alderman said that the question of the coal purchase did not come before the council.

Ald. Macmillan—I deny that I said that.

Ald. Bragg contended that Ald. Macmillan did say that, and it was not true, as the question had come before the council. The electric light committee did not take the same course regarding the coal purchase that the sewerage committee did regarding the pipe contract. The sewerage committee called for tenders for pipe.

Ald. Macmillan—That statement is false. The sewerage committee called for no tenders; the purchasing agent asked for bids for the pipe.

Ald. Bragg—The committee entered into a contract for the supply of pipe.

Ald. Macmillan—The statement is false; no contract was entered into for the supply of pipe.

Ald. Bragg—Well, I don't know what you call a contract.

Ald. Humphrey did not think the council should be called upon to settle a dispute between two aldermen. Let them go outside and have it out. The fact was there had been too much letter writing.

Ald. Wilson moved that the clerk be instructed to read all the communications regarding the purchase of coal.

Ald. Partridge thought Ald. Bragg would have shown his good sense had he treated Ald. Macmillan's statements with silent contempt.

Mr. Dowler was proceeding to read the communications, when Ald. Macmillan objected to that being done until the motion had been read.

The mayor again advised the settlement of the matter without the motion. The city had got cheaper pipes and cheaper coal, and the aldermen should be satisfied.

Ald Bragg wanted the resolution put to the meeting. The council must put their foot on Ald. Macmillan. He had given away executive secrets and had vindictively attacked him (Ald. Bragg) in the papers, while he (the speaker) had not attacked Ald. Macmillan.

Ald. Macmillan quoted a number of instances referred to in his letters, wherein committees of which Ald. Bragg was a member had let contracts for goods and works, without bringing it before the council. If 500 such resolutions were passed he would not apologize for what he had written to the papers. He could defend himself in the papers, and if Ald. Bragg could do the same he would not have brought forward the resolution that he had.

The clerk, at the request of the mayor, read a report from the electric light committee to which was attached a letter from Mr. James Dunsmuir, dated May 8th. A motion made at the time left the question of the coal supply in the hands of the committee. Then there was a tender from Mr. Dunsmuir, dated June 17th, and one from Spratt & Macaulay, dated June 21st. On June 24th the electric light committee reported recommending the acceptance of the Dunsmuir tender, and not referring to the other tenders. The report was adopted by the council at the time.

Ald. Macmillan—Now I want to know why Spratt & Macaulay's tender, which was ten cents lower than Dunsmuir's was not considered.

Ald. Wilson—Spratt & Macaulay could have tendered at the same time that Mr. Dunsmuir did, but they waited until they knew what his tender was, and then dropped ten cents below it.

Ald. Macmillan—The committee interviewed Mr. Dunsmuir, why did they not interview the others.

Ald. Bragg denied that he had seen Mr. Dunsmuir.

Ald. Macmillan—You say so in the report.

Ald. Bragg—I signed the report as I concurred in what had been done.

Ald. Partridge and Halll having left the meeting, the mayor refused to put the motion, remarking that he did not believe that the aldermen were in the proper frame of mind to deal with matters of the kind.

Th council adjourned shortly after 10 o'clock.

THE CASE OF CHOY WAN.

To the Editor: Kindly allow me the privilege through the columns of your excellent daily of placing a matter fairly, squarely and truthfully before the mind of the public. I refer to the case of Choy Wan, the little thirteen year old Chinese girl who ran to the Chinese Girls' Home on the afternoon of September 3rd. The child related her simple story in a clear, straight-forward manner to the Rev. J. E. Gardner and Mr. Coleman in the presence of Mr. Thornton Fell, the main fact of which is that she was a slave in China and bought as such by Mr. Mong Kow through another Chinese. She was taken on to a large steamer at Hong Kong and brought to Victoria to wait on Mrs. Mong Kow. Her companions on board the steamer were Mrs. Wong Tuck Chen and Miss Wong Hoo, her servant, and, according to reliable testimony, very unfit associates. Choy Wan has not been taught in Mr. Mong Kow's house, not so much as to write her own name. As a little slave, the child took refuge in our home, which exists for the protection, training, mothering and educating in English and Chinese of all Chinese women and girls who need its aid or seek its shelter. As the lady in charge of the Home I protested against the child being compelled to leave the Home contrary to her wish, but in harmony with legal advice I stated that I would not detain her if she wished to go. Three times she refused to go, and not until the Chief Justice decided that the child must be handed over to Mong Kow did I give her up. When the carriage came for her she left the Home weeping and against her wish. She saw the Home as it is every day; she saw the girls were happy and contented, and she wished to be one of them.

We live on British soil, under the Union Jack, subjects of a Christian Queen, with a Christian Governor-General and his most excellent lady, who are deeply interested in the physical, mental and moral uplifting of our nation, irrespective of race, color or creed, and yet slavery is tolerated in our capital city, and the highest judiciary of British Columbia has constituted Mr. Mong Kow guardian to Choy Wan until she is sixteen, without having seen the child or heard her simple story.

Must Canadians stoop to the heathenish customs, laws and habits of the Chinese in our midst? Nay; rather elevate the foreign race and teach them that Canadian soil is a free soil; that no buying or selling of humanity can be tolerated, and that Chinese girls are to command wages for house service the same as Chinese men. If our laws are not clear on this line, let us appeal to the law makers and have them made clear and satisfactory to those who are most interested in the weal, happiness and justice of humanity.

S. BOWES,
Matron of Chinese Girls' Home.

PROF. ROBERTSON ON FOOD.

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Ar 12 30 pm	Ar 8 30 pm		Victoria		Dp. 6.00 am	Dp. 4.30 pm
12 26	8 25		Duncan's		6 34	4 55
12 15	8 15		Somenos		6 44	5 05
12 03	8 03		Westholme		6 54	5 15
11 53	7 53		Chemainus		7 04	5 25
11 37	7 37		Oyster Bay Siding		7 22	5 43
11 26	7 26		Nanoose Bay		7 33	5 54
11 13	7 13		Wellington		7 45	6 06
10 58	6 58		Extension		7 58	6 19
10 55	6 55		Cedar		8 01	6 22
10 45	6 45		Yellow Point		8 11	6 32
10 35	6 35		Gordon River		8 21	6 42
10 19	6 19		Koksilah		8 37	6 58
10 06	6 06		Shawnigan Lake		8 50	7 11
9 55	5 55		Summit Siding		9 00	7 21
9 41	5 41		Goldstream		9 14	7 35
9 31	5 31		Langford		9 24	7 45
9 21	5 21		Parson's Bridge		9 34	7 55
9 11	5 11		Colwood		9 44	8 05
9 00	5 00		Esquimalt		9 55	8 16
8 50	4 50		Work Point		10 05	8 26
8 45	4 45		Victoria		10 10	8 30
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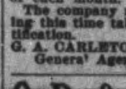

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MURDER ON THE EMPRESS

A Japanese Thief Decapitates a Chinese Cook While at Yokohama.

Spread of the Cholera in Japan Has Been Somewhat Checked.

The Empress of India arrived in port shortly before six o'clock this morning, several hours ahead of schedule time on her run across the Pacific. She left Yokohama on Friday, September 13th, and was therefore less than eleven days in crossing to Victoria. At Yokohama on the day before the ship sailed, the quarter deck aft was the scene of a most atrocious murder, Le Sheng, one of the cooks, being stabbed by an unknown Japanese thief. It seems that about one o'clock a Japanese was discovered by a Chinese boy stealing a pair of trousers, and when seized began to struggle to free himself. The noise attracted to the scene—on the quarter deck aft—two Chinese cooks, who made an effort to secure the Japanese. The latter seized one of the cooks, and having opened a clasp knife with his teeth and his free hand, stabbed the Chinaman in the neck, inflicting a fearful gash, from which a stream of blood spurted. The Japanese then attacked the second cook with his knife, and having inflicted a cut four inches long on his right arm, bolted along the deck forward. He was seen to mount the deck rail, jump on a lighter alongside, and disappear. Upon an alarm being raised the coolies engaged on the lighter were called up, but as none of these were identified as the assailant, C. F. Pope made a search of the lighter and found a Japanese crouching in a corner forward. The man was brought out, identified by the Chinamen, and eventually handed over to the police. In the meantime blood continued to flow from the neck of the Chinaman who was first attacked, and he died in a quarter of an hour. The other man's wound was immediately bandaged, and he is now in no danger. The matter having been reported to H. B. M. Consul, the body was removed to the shore and an inquiry will be held. Chief Public Procurator Ando held an investigation on board the same afternoon. When discovered in the lighter the man under arrest had no knife in his possession; and it is therefore assumed that, if he is the man who stabbed the two Chinamen, he threw his weapon overboard as he escaped from the ship. He had an abrasion over the left eye which was bleeding when he was arrested. Who the accused is it is impossible to discover. He was not engaged on any of the lighters around the ship, but his presence does not appear to have aroused suspicion until he was found attempting to steal the pair of trousers.

The cruise of the ship was otherwise uneventful. The Pacific Mail Steamship Company's steamship Belgic, ashore about 30 miles outside of Yokohama, was seen on the way out. There were several steamers around her, but no wrecking work was being done. Not a sail was sighted throughout the voyage. The average weather for the season of the year was encountered. The ship brought the following passengers: Capt. Anderson, Mr. W. Bartlett, Rev. W. P. Bently, Mr. J. H. Ball, Miss Biles, Mr. J. S. Black, Mr. G. W. G. Butler, Capt. Cavendish, Mr W. B. Davenport, Mr. Fujita, Miss Hartford, Mr. L. W. Lienau, Mr. H. Cripps Matheson, Capt. Miller Dr. R. J. Nevin, Mr. C. O. Overbeck, Miss Procter, Mr. H. Shugio, Mr. T. Taylor, Mr. K. Tsuchiko, Mr. A. R. Whitney, Mr. H. E. Wormold, J. H. Biles.

Mr. A. R. Whitney, jr., is a member of the New York firm of ship builders of that name. He has been to Japan figuring on the war ships which that country talks of constructing, and is on his way home. Judge Bartlett, of the Supreme Court of New York state, who is travelling with W. B. Davenport, a New York lawyer, was another prominent American aboard. Capt. Cavendish, who was the British military attache wh followed the Chinese army in the late war, arrived on his way to London. Capt. Miller is in charge of the British naval dockyards at Hong Kong, and is on his way to England. Capt. Anderson is of the Scottish Oriental Steamship Company, and is on his way to Scotland to bring out a new vessel. J. H. Biles is an expert naval architect of Glasgow, and has been around the world with his daughter. J. S. Black is in the British consular service at Siam, and is returning to England. Messrs. Matheson and Overbeck are Shanghai tea merchants.

The ship brought only a small number of steerage passengers, and only landed 16 Chinese here. She brought no Japanese passengers, and was therefore only detained in quarantine the length of time that it took to inspect the ship. She brought a full cargo of freight, made up of the usual commodities.

Speaking of the cholera the Japan Gazette of September 13th, says: "There is a marked decrease in the number of fresh cases of cholera in the Capital. During the 24 hours ending yesterday noon only 19 cases were recorded, whereas forty or even or fifty had been reported a few days ago. If things continue in this state the disease will be stamped out before long, at least as far as Tokyo is concerned. In Yokohama two more cases occurred on the 11th; while in Yokosuka it has almost disappeared, and marines who have been prohibited to land in consequence of the spread of cholera, are now free to visit the shore. In Okayama ken, the malady, which was once so virulent, has greatly dwindled, but dysentery, on the other hand, is showing signs of spreading."

Kwong Tung-suh, who attempted to assassinate Pak Yong-hyo in Tokio last year, and Hong Chong-u, who murdered Kim Ok-kyun in Shanghai, sought refuge somewhere in Hamgyong-do after the great changes in the Corean government, but went over to Vladivostock during last month says the Hochi. It was thought they had left the country, simply to seek a shelter in another land from fear of detection at home. But contrarily they had, it seems, a big scheme in stock. They forged the King's message asking the Russian government to dispatch 10,000 troops for expelling the Japanese out of Corea. They actually presented the message to the Russian authorities. But the latter being in It having been soon found that the message, referred the mater to Mr. Waeber. It having been son found that the message had been manufactured, Kwon and Hong are now being escorted to the frontier. The Corean authorities are preparing to arrest them on their arrival.

Eighteen Russians were recently arrested by the Mombetsu police in Hokkaido, but while detained in the station five of them broke the windows and escaped, says the Yokohama Gazette. The remaining thirteen were escorted to Hakodate by the police, where they were handed over to the Russian consul. In the examination made at the constbate it was found that they were convicts serving at Saghalien, who had escaped after having robbed a boat belonging to Mr. Yamamoto, who is engaged in fisheries on the island. The runaways were sent back on the 7th inst. by the Maikomaru to the region where they are to serve the remainder of their terms.

The commission of enquiry into the Kucheng massacres continues its work, which is progressing slowly, says the Foo Chow correspondent of the China Mail, writing on the 31st ult. Upwards of one hundred arrests have been made, including the leader of the "Vegetarians," and his two lieutenants. For each of these three men a reward of $900 was paid. Eleven men have been convicted of complicity in the murders. Considerable delay is caused by the Chinese officials; the Viceroy (at Foo Chow) refuses to give his deputy (at Kucheng) the necessary discretionary powers, and consequently every new question that arises had to be referred back to Foo Chow, the deputy being a mere mouthpiece of the Viceroy instead of a qualified commissioner. The N. C. Daily News stated on the 5th inst.:—A telegram from Foo Chow dated yesterday states that Miss Hartford's assailant has been captured. There have been 126 arrests; 27 have ben tried and 23 convicted. Evidence has been adduced sufficient to convict 31 more.

From Chengtu it is reported by a Shanghai paper that the amount of indemnity to be paid the Roman Catholic missions for damage done by the rioters in that province is to be something like 700,000 taels. Furthermore that the work on the re-construction of the Roman Catholic church at Yitungchiao has already commenced. The delay of the British and American ministers in sending a commission to Chengtu has raised the rumor among the natives of Szechuan is to be sent after all, and that the Changking Taotai wil probably be the person sent to settle the British and American claims. The Roman Catholic priests at Szechuan are being now treated in a most deferential manner.

The Associated Press correspondent at Tokio writes as follows:

Through the Japanese Legation at Peking it is learned that United States Envoy Denby has been instructed by President Cleveland to institute an inquiry into the safety of American residents in China, preparatory to making demands upon the Chinese authorities for their permanent protection. A commission will be appointed, consisting of United States officers, and including attaches of the legations in Peking and Tokio. Mr. Denby is said to be deeply sensible of the false position in which he has placed himself by accepting a favor for his son from the Chinese government. From the blame attaching to that error he cannot escape, but his friends protest against the excessive virulence with which he is assailed by foreigners generally, who do not hesitate to charge him with misdeeds which he has not the power to commit, even if he were morally capable of them. It is urged on his behalf that the line of policy laid down for the guidance of American representatives in China, makes it litezally impossible for a minister to assume a vigorous course of action on his own responsibility. These statements, however, do not emanate from Mr. Denby himself, who preserves strict silence respecting his personal affairs. The latest advices from Foochow report that one hundred and twenty-six suspected persons have been arrested; that twenty-seven have been tried and twenty-three found guilty; and that thirty-one others are certain to be convicted. The assailant of Miss Hartford, the American missionary, has been captured. In spite of these apparently decisive measures, signs of disturbance are detected in other parts of Fo-kien province, in which no steps have been taken for the preservation of order. The United States ship Petrel is on the way from Japan to Foochow.

On September 8th the steamship Belgic, of the Occidental and Oriental line, ran ashore while entering Yokohama harbor. She was not seriously injured, and her officers express the belief that she will be floated without difficulty. This is the general hope, notwithstanding the fact that few steamers which have grounded in the same locality have ever been extricated. When the ship struck, the second officer, named Bickman, started to lower a boat, but fell into the sea and was drowned.

Ratifications of the revised treaty between Russia and Japan were exchanged at the foreign office in Tokio September 10th. The agreement is nearly identical with that recently enacted by the United States and Japan.

A detachment of the Salvation Army has established itself in Tokio, where it will soon commence operations in accordance with the customary methods. The usual dress, however, is to be discarded in favor of Japanese garments, and Japanese domestic habits will be followed as far as possible, even to the eating of food dressed in native style. The entire force proposes to occupy Japanese dwellings of the simplest construction.

The new envoy from China has arrived in Japan, with his wife, whose father was an American, and two daughters. He is attended by a retinue of forty-five persons.

For several months past the detachment of Japanese troops in Corea has consisted of nine infantry companies, posted at Seoul, Wijn, Gensan, and Fusan. At the request of the King this small body is to be diminished to four companies. Japanese military officers doubt the expediency of the reduction, but the experiment is nevertheless to be tried.

American ship-building and manufacturing interests in Japan are represented by Irving M. Scott, of the Union Works; Captain Zalinski, of the Bethlehem Foundry; General George B. Williams, of the Cramp Company; A. R. Whitney, jr., of the New York Whitney house; Lieut. Col. Hunsiker, of the Carnegie Works; and E. Turnaner, of the Electric Company of Schenectady. These gentlemen, with other agents of large American establishments, are awaiting opportunities to compete for the contracts which the government is expected to make in connection with the proposed expansion of the naval and military systems of the empire.

—"For years," says Capt. C. Mueller, "I have relied more upon Ayer's Pills than anything else in the medicine chest, to regulate my bowels, and those of the ship's crew. These pills are not severe in their action, but do their work thoroughly."

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"F. S. & C." applied to steamer Rosalie means, fast, safe and comfortable. This new steamer leaves Victoria daily at 9 a.m., except Sundays, for Port Townsend and Seattle, arriving at Seattle at 4 p.m., connecting with steamer Flyer daily for Tacoma, and Great Northern trains for all points east and south. Returning—Steamer leaves Seattle at 11:30 p.m. daily, except Sundays, arriving at Victoria at 6:30 a.m. Local and through tickets at Great Northern R.R. office, 75 Government street. •

—New line of pocket cutlery just opened at Fox's, 78 Government street. Shaving outfits a specialty, guaranteed.

—Galvanized wire chicken fencing at cut prices. Shore's hardware. •

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Having removed to 58 Fort street, I am ready with a full stock of all kinds of Keys and Blanks to to do key fitting and lock repairing and altering of any description. Also Saw Gumming, Filing, etc.
Parasols and Umbrellas repaired.
Come! We want your custom. All work neatly and promptly executed. Charges reasonable.
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$25.00 REWARD.

The above reward is hereby offered for such information as shall lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons tampering or interfering in any way with any manhole, ventilator, flush tank, or other part of the sewerage system of the City of Victoria, or causing any impediment or obstruction to the proper and effective operation of any portion of the said system, except when acting under instructions from the City Engineer or Sanitary Officer.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Victoria, B.C., August 1st, 1895.

MUNICIPAL.

TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

Tax notices for the year 1895 were posted on the 28th August instant, to those on the Municipal Assessment Roll for the current year.

Anyone who may not receive same in due course will please apply at the post office.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector

City Collector's Office.
Victoria, B. C., Aug. 28, 1895.

To Cheer up, Use Adams' TUTTI FRUTTI

Sold by Druggists and Confectioners.
It Aids Digestion wonderfully, and gives tone to the system.
See that "TUTTI FRUTTI" is on each wrapper.
Refuse imitations.

With a Little Foresight
..AND..
$25, $15 or $10
in the pocket these hard times.

September 30 Closes our Prize Competition.

All wrappers must bear the name of
W. J. PENDRAY,
and be sent in by September 30th. People sending wrappers through the mail should leave the ends open and avoid extra postage.

5 1st Places
—AND—
6 2nd Places
were taken on
Columbia and Stearns BICYCLES
at the Race Meet at Oak Bay track on Saturday last.
They are always in the lead.
M. W. WAITT & CO.,
N.B.—Not a single breakage occurred to a wheel fitted with wood rims, whereas wheels with other than wood rims—but nuff sed.

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PRINCIPAL, MR. LEO. BRADLEY
Assisted by Other Teachers.
Subjects taught: Piano, Singing, Violin and Cello. Singing and Theory Classes Weekly. Pupils prepared for musical examinations (Local and Higher) in connection with the V. C. M., London.
French Lessons by Mrs. Bradley, (10 yrs. in Paris).
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RURAL HOUSE,
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This beautiful and healthy resort is now re-opened under the management of J. J. Gray. The accommodation this hotel affords is equal to any. Persons desiring a few days of quiet rest will find this a most charming retreat. Wines are of the best only.

B. C. PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION EXAMINATIONS.

The Semi-Annual Examinations of the above Association, for Apprentice, Clerk, or Licentiate Certificate, take place on October 9th and 10th. Intending candidates must notify the Registrar not later than the 25th inst., enclosing fees.

CHARLES NELSON,
SEC.-Registrar.
P. O. Box 745, Vancouver, B. C. s13-2w

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31 JOHNSTON ST.,
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With a full line of the choicest Meats at the Lowest Prices
FOR CASH ONLY
Your patronage respectfully solicited.
ROBERT DINSDALE,
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NOTICE

Belleville Street, between McClure Street and Birdcage Walk, is closed to Public Traffic.

R. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.
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AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION
GENERAL SALE.

WEDNESDAY, SEP. 25, AT 11 A.M.,
At my Salesrooms, Yates St., Victoria.

Splendid Queen Charlotte Island Totem Poles.
They are over 50 years old and are in fine order, being cut out of solid cedar, about 10 feet high and 4 feet wide each. They are well worth the attention of collectors of old British Columbia Indian curios.

Goodyear Rubber Belting.
527 feet of 7-inch 3 and 4-ply belting.
1 role of rubber core packing for valves and pumps.

10 Cases of Fine Australian Vineyard Brandy.

Treasure Trove.
50 trunks and valises, unclaimed, from Telegraph Hotel.

Intestate Estates.
One clinker built rowing boat, complete.
Watches and Jewellery.
Furniture, Singer sewing machine, mirrors, carpenters' tools, fine large grindstone, etc.
2 Fine English Shot and Rifle Guns.
viz., 1 Lang's 12 bore choke shotgun, hammerless; cost £50; Damascus barrels; in case, all complete. 1 Wakefield double barrelled Express rifle, 45 caliber; in case, complete; cost £60.
1 Horse, Buggy and Harness.
Further consignments solicited.
This is a bona fide auction sale.

se20 G. BYRNES, Auctioneer.

Mortgage Sale.

Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, by George Byrnes, at his auction rooms, Yates street, Victoria, on Thursday, the 26th day of September, 1895, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, the following property:

All those parcels of land and premises situated in the City of Victoria and known as sub-division numbers 37 and 38 (thirty-seven and thirty-eight) of suburban five acre lot number viii (eight).

On the property, which is situated on North Park street, there is a story and a half frame dwelling house.

For terms and conditions appy to
McPHILLIPS, WOOTTON & BARNARD,
Vendor's Solicitors,
or to GEORGE BYRNES, Auctioneer.

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Firstly: All that piece of land situate in the District of North Saanich, and known and numbered on the official map of said District of North Saanich as Section (2 East Range) 6, North, and containing ninety acres more or less. On the property are a log house and a barn, and ten acres are cleared and under cultivation.

Secondly: All those pieces or parcels of land being in the District of Victoria, and known as Subdivision 19 and the North half of Subdivision 18 of part of Section 4 of Victoria District, saving and excepting thereout a certain piece of land 35 feet square, situate at the north-easterly corner of Subdivision 18, and subject to a right of way along the southern boundary of the property from the Saanich Road to said north-east corner of said Subdivision. The property is unimproved but eminently suitable for building purposes.

For terms and conditions apply to
McPHILLIPS, WOOTTON & BARNARD,
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Or to GEORGE BYRNES, Auctioneer.
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TENDERS WANTED.

Tenders for Lease

Of Valuable Agricultural Land, also the Bowker Park Race Track and Buildings.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned until noon Saturday, Sept. 28, 1895, for 3 or 5 years' lease of valuable land consisting of about 40 acres, more or less, known as the Bowker Park, also for the Bowker Park Race Track and Buildings.

Tenders will be received for the whole or separate part of the above property.

The highest nor any tender not necessarily accepted.

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DOG SHOW—Open to the world.

THREE FULL DAYS' SPORTS—Gymkhana, Aquatic Sports, Indian Canoe Races, Rugby and Association Football Matches, Field Sports, Sailors' Sports, Promenade Concerts, and Illuminations.

GRAND BICYCLE MEET—in which the fastest Wheelmen on the Pacific coast will participate. $300 in prizes for these events.

CHAMPION LACROSSE MATCHES.

TRAP SHOOTING MATCHES—For the championship of B. C. Valuable gold medals will be awarded to the winners.

Excursion rates have been secured over all Railway and Steamboat lines for visitors, and reduced rates on exhibits.

T. J. TRAPP, President. A. B. MACKENZIE, Secretary.

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Events of Interest in the Amateur and Professional Field.

YACHTING.

GOOD FEELING.

London, Sept. 24.—The Times commenting on the new challenge for the America's cup says: "It is satisfactory to find the untoward circumstance of the race between the Valkyrie III. and Defender has not prevented immediate preparations for another friendly contest. All that Mr. Rose asks is a clear course, and until a race can be sailed under such conditions as will make it a test of seamanship and will eliminate accidents due to a crowded waterway, it will not be regarded by the people of this country with the interest and respect it would otherwise demand."

Commenting upon a letter from Shepard Homans, published this morning in defence of the regatta committee of the New York Yacht Club, who were bound by a deed of trust, the Times says, "It would seem as though everything connected with this cup is in the grasp of the dead hand, and that nobody is to blame for the deadlock. We can only suggest that the cup and trust deed be carefully deposited in the strongest strong room New York can boast of, and some other object should be found for which the yachtsmen can sail races under conditions of national freedom and elasticity."

SPRUCE BEATEN.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 24.—The first race of the match, the best three out of five between the half raters Ethel Wynn, of the Indian Harbor Yacht club, and Spruce IV., of the Minima Yacht club, of England, was sailed yesterday. Ethel Wynn won very easily. She beat Spruce by 7 minutes 41 seconds over a course that began with a run to leeward for three miles and included a beat back on the second leg, and caused a repetition of these legs to make the full distance of 12 miles, as had been understood by the parties concerned. After the race was over Mr. J. Arthur Brand said to a reporter that he had changed his mind in one way if not in others. He had believed that Spruce IV. was the more clever in a strong blow, but he discovered to-day that the stronger the wind, the better the Ethel Wynn sailed.

CRICKET.

QUAKERS BEATEN.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 24.—By the strong batting rally in their second innings yesterday, the visiting cricketers from Oxford and Cambridge defeated the Gentlemen of Philadelphia by four runs and two wickets. About 5,000 witnessed the game in spite of the heat.

First innings, Gentlemen of Philadelphia, total 234, second innings, total, 138.

Oxford and Cambridge first innings, 156; second innings, total, 220.

DIED.

HAYWARD—At Kamloops, B. C., on the 24th instant, Charles, eldest son of Charles and Sarah Hayward, of this city, aged 31 years.

BIRTH.

ZIMMERMAN—On the 23rd Sept., at 138 Blanchard St., the wife of C. F. Zimmerman of a son.

DINSDALE—On the 23rd Sept., at 48 Third street, the wife of Robert Dinsdale of a son.

ROYAL Baking Powder.
Highest of all in leavening strength.—U. S. Government Report.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. S. P. Mills has returned from a trip to Ottawa and Montreal.

Ven. Archdeacon Scriven and E. A. Jacob left for Comox this morning.

Rev. John Sweet, the new rector of St. James church, will arrive here about Oct. 9th.

Dr. Russell and family, of New York, who have been visiting relatives in the city, have returned home.

Harry Lewis, representing the well known silk house of Belding, Paul & Co., of San Francisco and Montreal, is at the Driard.

A. R. Langley leaves to-morrow evening for Acapulco to assume a position to which he was appointed during his recent trip east.

R. Fry, of Duncan's, is at the Oriental.

The following are among the guests at the Dallas: Judge William Bartlett, Brooklyn, N. Y.; William B. Davenport, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Staff-Captain A. W. Miller, R. N., London; R. Burgess, Toronto; W. J. R. Clarke, London; Earnest Long and wife, London.

James E. Nicholson.

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		SALE PRICE.	FORMER PRICE
20 pair	Ladies' Dong. Button Boots, sizes 2½ to 3½ C.D.	$1 00	$3 00
31 " "	Dong. Button Boots, sizes 2½ to 3½ C.D.E.	1 25	3 50-4 00
50 " "	Laird, Schoter & Mitchel, (Phila. make) 2½ to 4½ B.C.D.	1 50	4 75

MEN'S.

64 pairs	Men's Calf and Kangaroo Cong. Fine American Goods	3 00	6 50-7 50
30 "	" " " " " Bals.	3 00	6 50-7 50

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in the several mortgages relating thereto, which several mortgages will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, by George Byrnes, Auctioneer, at his Auction Rooms, Yates Street, Victoria, on

Wednesday, the Second Day of October, 1895,

at the hour of 11 o'clock, in the forenoon, the following properties:—

SUBDIVISON 8 OF SUBURBAN LOT XVII., as shown on Map No. 153, filed in the Land Registry Office, Victoria. This property is situated on the north side of Caledonia Avenue, midway between Cook and Chambers streets, and on it is a large two-story Frame Dwelling House with a brick basement.

LOTS 27 AND 28 BLOCK ELEVEN, OAK Bay, according to Map 373, filed in the Land Registry Office, being part of Sections 2 and 61, Victoria District, situated on the Todd property near Oak Bay. On the property is a 1 1-2 story Frame Cottage in good repair.

LOTS 10 AND 11, BLOCK ELEVEN, according to said Map 373, and being part of Sections 2 and 61, Victoria District. On this property is a two story Frame Dwelling House in good repair.

SUBDIVISION LOTS 5, 6, 7, AND 8 OF Lot 3, Block 1, being a portion of Section 74, Victoria District, according to Map No. 254, filed in the Land Registry Office. These lots are situated on cross street near Oak Bay avenue and have a frontage of 71 feet, except lot 8, which has 69 feet 6 inches, all having a depth of 94 feet.

LOTS 1014 AND 1015, VICTORIA CITY. These lots are situated on the North East corner of Vancouver and Fort Streets, and on the property is a large cottage.

LEASEHOLD PREMISES, BEING THAT portion of Lot 22, Victoria City, described as commencing on the Southern boundary of said Lot, 2 feet from the South East corner of Lot number 21, thence along Yates Street 42 feet in an Easterly direction, thence North at right angles 120 feet, thence West at right angles 42 feet, thence South 120 feet to the point of commencement. This property is situated on Yates Street, near Douglas, and was leased for the term of 15 years from the 1st November, 1888, at the monthly rental of $40.00, leaving an unexpired term of 6 years from the 1st of November next. On the property are a large store and lodging house, also a brick ware house.

LOT 906, VICTORIA CITY. THIS LOT is situated on the corner of Yates and Cook Streets, and on it is a large two story Frame Dwelling House.

SECTION 1, RANGE 1, WEST, NORTH Saanich, containing 100 acres more or less, said to be covered with fine merchantable cedar.

THAT PART OF SECTION IV., VICTORIA District, now Victoria City, as the same is shown on the plan deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, number 162, save and except Lots 1, 5, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21. This property is situated at the junction of Government and Douglas Streets, being bounded by those streets and by Bay Street; it comprises, exclusive of those above excepted, 25 Lots, well situated for building purposes.

THOSE PORTIONS OF SECTION 69 and of Subdivisions 6 and 11 of Section 28, Victoria District, described as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the Westerly boundary of said Section 29 and the Northern boundary of Cadboro Bay Road, thence following the said Northern boundary of Cadboro Bay Road 11.79 chains, thence North 44.30, West, 4.76 chains, thence Westerly at an angle of 75 degrees, 30 minutes, 9.67 chains to Westerly boundary of said Section 28, thence following said Westerly boundary of Section 28 and the Westerly boundary of Section 29 to the point of commencement, containing 5 1-4 acres, more or less. On this property, which is situated on the Cadboro Bay Road, opposite the junction of the said Road with the Foul Bay Road, are a 6 roomed Frame Cottage, a two roomed Cottage, and a stable and outhouses.

LOTS 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 25 AND 30, ON THE plan of Cloverdale (Tolmie) Estate, deposited in the Land Registry Office, at Victoria, No. 51, excepting off the frontage of Lots 2, 3, and 5 on Culduthel Road, Lot 7 on Whittier Avenue and Lot 30 on Burns Avenue, a strip 10 feet in width which is reserved for widening the said highways.

AN UNDIVIDED ONE-FIFTH INTEREST in those portions of Section IV., Victoria District, known as Lots 4, 5, 11, 13 and 14, Block XV., and Lots 1 and 5 Block XVI, Hillside Extension B of the Work Estate, according to the plan deposited in the Land Registry Office No. 240, and in Blocks 1, 9 and 32, of said Section 4, as per plan deposited in the Land Registry office No. 263, and in lots 14 and 15, Block T, Work Estate, as per plan deposited in the said Land Registry Office, No. 33a.

A FURTHER UNDIVIDED ONE-FIFTH interest in Lots 4, 5, 11, 13 and 14, Block XV., and Lots 1 and 5, Block XVI., Hillside Extension B of Work Estate, according to the plan deposited in the Land Registry Office, No. 240, and in Lots 1, 9, and 32 of said Section IV., as per plan deposited in the Land Registry Office, No. 263, and in Lots 14 and 15, Block T, Work Estate, as per plan deposited in said Land Registry Office, No. 33a.

PART OF SUBDIVISION 4, SECTION 85, Victoria District, known as Lot 8, Gordon Head Grove, as per Map 345; said lot containing 8 38-100 acres fronting on avenue near Gordon Head Road.

ALSO AT THE SAME PLACE AND IMmediately after the sale of the properties aforesaid, there will be offered for sale the SCHOONER ARIEL. This schooner is 99.95 tons register, Carvel built, 72 feet in length, 25 feet in breadth, and has a depth of hold of 7 feet. Was built in St. Johns, N.B., in 1880.

LOT 120, GROUP 1, NEW WESTMINSTER District. This property immediately adjoins the city limits of Vancouver, on the Hastings and New Westminster roads.

LOT 31 OF SECTION 23 AND 24, BECKley Farm. On this property are two five roomed Cottages. This property is rented steadily at a good rental, and has a frontage of 44.9 feet on Niagara by 120 feet on San Juan avenue.

LOTS 4 AND THE WEST HALF OF LOT 5, Section 61, Spring Ridge, excepting thereout the Westerly 7 feet 10 1-2 inch, of the said Westerly half of said lot 5. On this property are four two story double frame dwellings, containing 8 tenancies, partially let at good rentals. This property has a frontage of 58 feet 11 inches on South street by a depth of 150 feet 3-4 inches.

LOT 22, BLOCK F, STRAWBERRY Vale, according to Map 361, deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria. This lot is on the corner of Burnside road and Holland avenue, and contains 6 1-2 acres.

LOT 86, GROUP 2, SUMAS, NEW WESTminster District, with dwellings and barns, containing about 800 acres. This is one of the finest farms in the district and is occupied by Donald McGillivray. It is specially adapted for dairying and cultivation, nearly all prairie land producing good crops of oats, wheat, barley, vegetables, timothy and natural hay. Fine fruit orchard, good dwelling houses, ample barns, sheds and fencing.

LOT 35, WORK ESTATE, ACCORDING to Map 263, filed in the Land Registry Office, being part of Section IV., Victoria District, and now in the City of Victoria, containing 5 39-100 acres, more or less, excepting out of said lot 35, lot 29 according to the subdivision thereof, as shown by Map 378, filed in said Land Registry Office. This property is situated on the corner of Cook Street and King's Road, and extends to Eighth Street on the East, and is bounded on the South by the Northern boundary of Lot 40. It is subdivided and comprises 34 Lots in all, one of which, Lot 29 is already sold.

SUBDIVISION LOT 6 OF CITY LOTS 955, 1304, 1305, 1306, 1307, 1308 and 1309, fronting on Kingston street, James Bay, according to Map deposited in the Land Registry Office, No. 315.

AN UNDIVIDED ONE-FIFTH INTEREST in that portion of Section 65, Victoria District, lying to the West of the Saanich Road, and containing 177 acres. The greater portion of this land is under cultivation and rents for from $400 to $500 per annum.

LOT NO. 7, ON GRAHAM ISLAND, Queen Charlotte District, at Massett, containing 1015 acres more or less, with buildings and improvements; partly cultivated. This is the property of the Rev. Charles Harrison.

LOT 16, OAKLAND ESTATE, PART OF Sections 29 and 30, Victoria district, situate at the junction of Cedar Hill and Saanich roads, containing 3 3-4 acres, more or less. On the property is situated a frame dwelling house and outbuildings.

LOT 17, HIGHLAND DISTRICT, CONtaining 161 acres. Lot 23, Highland District, containing 165 acres. Section 14, Range 1 West, South Saanich. Section 15, Range 1 West, South Saanich. Section 15, Range 2 West, South Saanich. Together with right of way through Section 15, Range 1 East, from the West Saanich Road to and from the said property. On these properties are well developed lime quarries with kilns.

ALL THAT PORTION OF LOT 1195, corner of McClure and Rupert streets, having a frontage of the whole Lot, saving the Westerly 12 feet thereof, and having a depth of 77 feet 6 inches; with two story Dwelling House, let at a fair rental.

SECTION 6 AND 7, RANGE 2, COMIAKen District, in the Province of British Columbia, containing 169 acres, more or less. This property fronts on Quamichan Lake, a portion of it used to be known as Stamps Prairie.

SUBDIVISION 16 AND 17 OF LOTS 1777, 1778, 1779, 1780, 1781, 1782, 1783, 1784, 1785, 1786, 1787, 1788, 1789, 1790 and 1791, Parry street, according to Map filed in the Land Registry Office, No. 175. Close to new Government Building and highly desirable for building purposes.

THOSE PORTIONS OF LOTS 182 AND 183, Vancouver City, being an undivided 1-4 interest of and in Subdivision J, of Lot 182, and Subdivision D of Lot 183, said Subdivision J containing 3 61-100 acres, and said Subdivision D containing 13 13-100 acres, more or less, all in the city of Vancouver. D has valuable water frontage on Burrard Inlet and J on False Creek.

AN UNDIVIDED ONE-FIFTH INTEREST in that portion of Section XI., Lake District, Vancouver Island, lying to the West of the Saanich Road, and containing 15 acres.

SUBDIVISION 16 OF FIVE ACRE LOT number XII., in the City of Victoria. On this property is a 6 roomed Frame Cottage, and is situated on the South side of Chatham street, just below Cook; now let to a good tenant at $10 per month.

PART OF VICTORIA CITY LOTS 1280, 1280 and 1281, commencing at a point on the West line of Montreal Street, 66 feet North from the South East corner of Lot 1280, thence running Northerly along the Western line of Montreal Street 110 feet, thence at right angles Westerly to the water, thence along the water in a Southerly direction to a point in Lot 1281, from which a line extended in an Easterly direction and parallel with the Northern boundary of said land, will strike the point of commencement. On this property is a fine two story Dwelling House, containing nine rooms, kitchen, cellar stables, etc. This is a most desirable residence property with fine large rooms, and has a beautiful gravel beach on water front.

PART OF SECTION 19 AND 20, RANGE VIII., Quamichan District, described as started at a post planted on the shore of Quamichan Lake, 4 chains South of the Northern boundary of said District, thence in a South Westerly direction to a point on Range line 7 and 8in said District, 7 chains South of the North boundary, thence due South 13 chains to corner post Section 19 and 20, Range 7 and 8, thence in a South Easterly direction to a post planted on West bank of Quamichan Creek, thence 3 9-10 chains North to Lake shore, thence following Lake shore to point of commencement, containing 58 6-10 acres, more or less. There is a two-acre orchard of choice pears, plums, apples and cherries, etc., four years old. About ten acres is cleared and seeded down, six acres slashed and burnt, and all well fenced. The property has a large frontage on Quamichan Lake, and is one of the prettiest spots in the district, with a southerly aspect, with a summer residence; fine shooting and fishing in the immediate neighborhood.

THE WEST HALF OF SECTION 14, and the East half of Section 15, Township 4, Barclay District, containing 640 acres, more or less. This land is said to have large deposits of iron ore and marble. Sarita creek flows through it.

THE NORTH HALF OF SECTION 29, Township No. 1, said Barclay District, containing 164 acres, more or less.

LOT 468, GROUP 1, NELSON ISLAND, New Westminster District, containing 300 acres, more or less. On this property is the finest granite quarry on the Pacific Coast and large quantities have been shipped to Puget Sound cities and San Francisco for public buildings. In fact dimension granite is so perfectly quarried that it does not require much work except for surfacing. There are a number of buildings thereon.

LOTS 1352, 1365 AND 1366, VICTORIA City, situated on Erie Street, and having a deep water frontage on the Outer harbor. This is a valuable property, adjoining leading industries.

Terms:—10 per cent Cash, 15 per cent in 6 Months, 25 per cent in three Annual Instalments with Interest at 7 per cent per Annum.

For further Particulars and conditions of Sale apply to

McPHILLIPS, WOOTTON & BARNARD,
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and to—

GEORGE BYRNES, Auctioneer.

Dated September 14th, 1895.